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THREE ALARMS

Another Blaze Broke Out in Burbank Block

The fire department was summoned to a blaze in the ill-fated Burbank block in Prescott street early this morning, and though the fire did not amount to much if it had not been discovered at the time it was, the building might have been gutted for the second time this year.

Police Officer Noye was passing through Prescott street about quarter to three when he noticed the reflection of a fire in one of he rooms on the third story. He immediately rushed to the square and pulled in an alarm from box 13 which is located in front of The Sun building.

The department was prompt in arriving. The fire was in the hallway on the third floor and was in a tin ash can. A stream from the extinguisher put an end to the fire. It is hard to tell what caused the fire, but Assistant Chief Norton, who is acting chief while Chief Hosmer is attending the convention, told a representative of The Sun that without doubt something of a combustible nature had been thrown into the can. There was no damage.

FIRE IN GREEK DISTRICT.

The firemen had no sooner got back from the alarm from box 13 and got comfortably located in bed and preparing for a rest, when an alarm from box 125 brought them to their feet again. The fire this time was in Lewis street in the property owned by R. G. Bartlett, and occupied by Greeks.

The alarm was pulled in a few minutes before 4 o'clock and the fire was caused by the overturning of an oil stove which set fire to the woodwork. One of the occupants of the house had got up and was preparing breakfast when the stove was accidentally overturned. Almost every Greek in the neighborhood was on the street to learn the extent of the fire. The damage was slight.

MYSTERIOUS FIRE.

A fire, the origin of which is yet a mystery, started in the house owned and occupied by Mrs. Benjamin Walker, at 100 Appleton street, at 10.45 o'clock last night. A curtain in one of the rooms got afire and communicated to a sofa pillow and the fire was blazing in a merry manner when discovered.

There was no one in the room when the fire started and as the gas light is on the opposite side of the room it is hard to imagine what could have started the blaze.

FUNERALS

McGANN—John T. McGann, aged five months, child of Peter and Margaret, died this morning at the home of his parents, 1 and 2 Dutton street.

The funeral took place this afternoon and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery and was under the direction of Funeral Director Charles H. Molloy.

CURRY—The funeral of the late Michael Curry occurred this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his late home, 65 Moore street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased, including a number of out-of-town people. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Sacred Heart church in Moore street, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Treschc, O. M. I. The choir under the direction of Mrs. Adelaide Moldoon sang the Gregorian mass.

The bearers were Messrs. Owen Donohoe, Peter Cullen, Frank Curry and John J. Donnelly. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery, where the last sad rites of the Catholic church were solemnized by Rev. Fr. Treschc, O. M. I. The funeral was under the direction of Funeral Director Thomas J. McDermott.

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THE HENS CACKLE A PROTEST.

"Back to the Woods" the Order to the City Hens

At 11.45 yesterday Judge Hadley rendered a decision in the police court forbidding the keeping of hens within the city limits without a written permit from the board of health, and Agent Knapp of that august body says that the board of health is not in the habit of giving such permits in writing. At exactly 2.30 yesterday afternoon every old hen, young hen and the rooster congregated on the south common and joined wings and cackles in an indignation meeting. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Wyandotte, with Miss Plymouth Rock as secretary, and after the brimming tears were wiped away Jennie Redcomb, a gay young rooster, took the floor at once and said:

"Dear old hens and unsophisticated pullets, I would a word with thee. Our rights have been trespassed upon and this is an indignation meeting. It may be that our forefathers and foremothers didn't come over on the Mayflower, but the fact remains that we have been permitted to enjoy as our ancestors enjoyed all the comforts and scratching liberty on the premises we occupy. We are not very well acquainted with court usages, but as law-abiding feathered folk we do know that the mandate of the court must be obeyed. As the absolutic, the red man, was driven from the view of the white fall to a reservation in the background, so are we being driven from the home of our childhood, from the pastures and yard meadows in which our ancestors scratched and tendered to a peel in the country where the ruling of the judge and the quibbling of the lawyer is unknown."

"It may be that our eggs were decayed fruit and that our offerings were not what they should have been. It may be that we roosted too high and scratched too hard but we had our little families to take care of and we did the best we could.

A GREAT INJUSTICE.

Far be it from me to fill your combs, oh ye young and muscular roosters, with a desire for revenge. Far be it from me to induce ye pullets of tender years to "lay" for the men who have struck at our liberty, but as forbearing as the ruler of the coop would have me be I cannot help feeling that a great injustice has been done us. True, we are not taxpayers but we have supplied that which has paid the taxes. We laid eggs in and out of season and would have laid bricks but for the fact that the act was a physical impossibility. Our services have been of the ten-fold order, and even when the hand of the human murderer fell upon a plump and pretty brooler we mourned a brother's loss in silence.

TO THE TALL TIMBERS.

In the book of pullets there is something said about the straw that broke the camel's back, and verily I say this is the straw intended to break our backs. We have lived here year in and year out laying, cackling, crowing and scratching dirt as best we could and now, when the comb of erstwhile gay roosters are on the ragged edge our destiny is transferred to the court of man and despite the best efforts of our ever genial and staunch friend, Agent Knapp of the board of health, we are suddenly relegated to the tall timbers. Back to the woods, is the vulgar reading of the court's mandate, and there is just the least little glimmer of hope in what light we may be held in the eye of a higher court.

Surely if a jury sits upon our case we may expect fair treatment. Juries, as a general thing, are composed of "moss-backs," the original producers of the poultry family, and it is up to them to assist us in holding down our city homes, but verily I say unto you that our chances look decidedly slim.

ROOSTER IS CHAIRMAN.

Finally the indignation meeting organized with the rooster as chairman.

One old rooster suggested that the whole gang "lay" for Judge Hadley.

"Oh, what's the use," said another. "If we do he'll get us into hot water, anyway."

Another hen, just at the age when parties and visiting are given up for home sewing evenings, said: "That's so, and I'm a little chicken-hearted about the fate of the rising generation of hens. I wonder if the judge has read 'Roosevelt on Race Suicide,' and

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THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

Local forecast: Fair tonight and Saturday; cooler tonight; light to fresh north to east winds.

SERIOUS CHARGE

Man Sold Horse That Had Glanders

Lester S. Franklin, for whom a warrant was issued several days ago and for whom the police have been looking, called at the police station this forenoon, accompanied by his lawyer, J. H. Gallivet, and gave himself up. A little later he was arraigned in police court and bailed.

Franklin is wanted for selling a horse afflicted with a contagious disease called "farcy," but more commonly called "glanders."

He claimed to the police that he did not know until today that a warrant had been sworn out against him. As soon as he heard about it, he said, he called on Mr. Gallivet and the latter accompanied him to the police station.

Franklin put the horse in auction at Hanson's stable and the animal was purchased by Charles Beck of Methuen.

The most serious feature of the case is the fact that Beck contracted the disease and his case is critical.

GRADE CROSSING

CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD MONDAY.

The special committee on grade crossings will hold its conference with the mill agents next Monday in regard to the changing of the time of shifting cars at the Merrimack street crossing.

NO MEETIMGS

THREE COMMITTEES COULD NOT GET QUORUMS.

The appropriations, cemetery and education committees of the city council were to have held meetings last night at city hall, but no quorums appeared and hence there were no meetings.

HELD IN $300

TWO MEN WERE CAUGHT RAIDING CARS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 2.—William Crane of Boston, and Walter W. Monks, of Ashmont, N. H., arrested while ransacking an American Express car on the Boston-Portland train early yesterday morning on arrival here, pleaded not guilty when arraigned today.

Probable cause was found and they were bound over to the superior court in the sum of $300 each.

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UPHAM WINS AGAIN

Will be County Commissioner Three Years More

Republican "County Ring" Again Freezes Out Lowell by Turning Down "Cy" Barton—Truant School Band and a Mix-up of Ballots Lend Excitement to the Convention -- Rep. Luce Among the Speakers

The Middlesex republican county convention, with all local republicans interested in the cause of ex-Alderman Cyrus Barton for county commissioner, was held in Huntington hall, this city, this forenoon with a large attendance of delegates and county politicians with the Middlesex Co. Truant School band discoursing sweet music in the gallery.

The convention was called for 10.30 o'clock, but owing to the systematic method adopted to verify and identify credentials it was much later than that hour when the delegates got into the hall. Before a delegate was permitted to enter the hall his credential was examined and checked off by the clerk of the caucus at which he was elected. This was done to prevent "ringers" getting in and was thoroughly successful if somewhat slow.

The old "county ring" was much in evidence, its spellbinders hustling in the interest of Samuel O. Upham of Waltham, the present incumbent who has held the office for 15 years and isn't tired yet.

Both canididates had headquarters in ante-rooms where the visiting delegates were welcomed and made comfortable.

The convention was opened by Hon. James Pierce of Malden, chairman of the republicen county committee, shortly after 11 o'clock and Secretary Henry W. Pitman of Somerville.

Henry C. Milliken of Natick nominated Mr. Pierce to be temporary chairman and there was no opposition. Mr. Pitman was elected temporary secretary by acclamation.

On motion a committee of 12 was appointed by the chairman to act as a committee on credentials as follows: Hon. George J. Burns of Ayer; Hon. Frederick W. Dallinger of Cambridge; Roswell I. Frall, of Hopkinton; John C. Brimblecon of Newton; William H. Sprague of Stoneham; James F. Ward of Waltham; Daniel L. Milliken of Malden; Fred S. Roswell of Hudson; Albert M. Robinson of Somerville; Robert Mountford of Lowell; Silas W. Flint of Wakefield; William E. Baton of Dracut.

Chairman Pierce then introduced the truant school band first referring to the school as the finest institution of its kind in America and paying a graceful tribute to Principal Warren, to whose able direction the success of the school is in a great measure due.

The band played while the committee on credentials was at work, an innovation for a political convention and the boys certainly made a big hit with the delegates.

They played as smoothly as an aggregation of full grown musicians and it was really surprising to hear such fine music from a band composed of small boys. They were obliged to respond to several encores.

When the boys had finished Chairman Pierce thanked the boys and expressed the hope that some day they will all become useful citizens and be exalted to public office. Mr. Pierce then lauded the officers of the county in years back.

During the interim it was announced that some one had "rung in" to the convention by presenting the councilor convention credentials of Horton H. Hilton of ward eight. While this was being ironed the band struck up "The Good Old Summer Time," the boys singing the chorus in fine soprano voices, which drew forth the cheers of the crowd.

Hon. Mr. McPherson of Cambridge moved a vote of thanks to Supt. Warren and the band for their entertainment and it was suggested that a collection be taken, the proceeds to go to the boys. Several gentlemen passed around the hat and judging from the number of bills put in the hats a snug sum was realized.

Then another delegate proposed three cheers for the boys, which were given with a will, after which the band played "America," while all stood and sang two verses of it.

CREDENTIALS' REPORT.

Hon. George J. Burns of Ayer for the committee on credentials reported 287 delegates, representing 11 cities and 38 towns, with 65 absentees, and the committee asked the privilege of making a supplementary report, as credentials may come in.

The temporary organization was then made permanent on motion of Mr. Milliken of Natick, and Chairman Pierce made another little speech, eulogizing the governor, the party and the county.

REGISTRAR OF PROBATE.

The next business was the nomination of a register of probate and Hon. John J. Pickman of this city nominated Hon. Samuel H. Folsom of Winchester who has held the position since "before the war." He was renominated by acclamation.

COUNTY TREASURER.

When nominations were called for county treasurer, Rep. Luce of Somerville, of Luce caucus bill fame, arose and he was greeted with three cheers. Mr. Luce took advantage of the occasion to make a few remarks on his favorite topic and then presented the name of Joseph O. Hayden of Somerville, who has been county treasurer for 18 years. He was nominated by acclamation.

THE BIG FIGHT.

Then came the big contest, the nomination of a candidate for county commissioner and the Hon. Mr. Glines of Somerville arose and in a fervent speech nominated Samuel O. Upham of Waltham. In the course of his remarks he diverted long enough to boom Rep. Luce of Somerville for speaker of the house though the announcement was not received with any turbulant outburst of applause.

When he had finished Alonzo G. Walsh of this city arose and nominated Ex-Alderman Cyrus Barton of this city. Mr. Walsh dwelt upon the fact that Lowell, although a considerable part of the county, has absolutely no representation in county affairs. He believed that once in a while it does a political party good to make a change and infuse new blood. He referred to the late President Grant who was refused a third term, and also to the fact that the governor of the state never gets more than three terms consecutively. "Except in Middlesex county," he said, "we appreciate the fact that the young man should have a chance and that in the natural order of things a change is good. It is no disparagement to a man to say that his time to retire has come after a decade in office. No office-holder is born to hold office forever and none with the assistance of his family connections can build up a wall unscalable and so thick that it cannot be broken through. I make no charges but I believe that it is time to make a change, according to good business ideas."

He then eulogized and presented the name of Cyrus Barton of Lowell.

Mr. Parker of Arlington arose and said it was the first time his voice had ever been raised in a political convention, though he had been attending them for years. He then seconded the nomination of Mr. Barton. Mr. Parker said very aptly: "An old deacon once said to me, 'Why don't the young men take hold,' and I replied, 'Why don't the old men let go and give them a chance to.' (Applause.) The chairman has referred to the boys in the gallery and expressed the hope that they will be exalted to office when they grow up but how on earth are they ever going to get a chance if the old fellows go along forever holding office, never letting go and never dying. That is not much of a speech, but it is a good suggestion." (Applause.)

Mr. MacPherson of Somerville seconded the nomination of Mr. Upham.

A DARK HORSE

At this point Mr. Allen of Cambridge arose and in a neat speech hopped a surprise on the convention by placing in nomination the name of ex-Representative Malcomb E. Ryder of Cambridge.

Hon. George J. Burns of Ayer then seconded the nomination of Mr. Upham. He criticized the Lowell delegates for making a geographical issue of the matter and claimed that the city of Lowell has always shared bountifully in the offices of the county.

After the nominations had been made Chairman Burns of the credentials committee make a supplementary report to the effect that 10 more delegates had presented credentials, making the total present 297, with 55 absentees, representing 11 cities and 39 towns.

RYDER WITHDRAWS.

Mr. Ryder, the dark horse from Cambridge, then withdrew, making a strong speech in favor of Mr. Upham.

THE BALLOT [illegible]EEN.

Mr. McPherson of Cambridge moved that the convention proceed to ballot and the chair appointed the following ballot committee: Arthur G. Pollard, Lowell; Hon. Frank A. Patch of Littleton; Francis A. Houston of Concord; Calvin W. Sawyer of Melrose; F. A. Bond of Malden; Wilmot R. Evans, Jr., of Everett.

The cities and towns were called up in alphabetical order and the delegates deposited their ballots in a box, surrounded by the ballot committee.

LOWELL DELEGATES HELD UP.

The balloting proceeded smoothly until Lowell was reached. The chairman announced that Lowell was entitled to 33 votes, and when 33 men had cast ballots there were still more who desired to vote. Among those shut off were ex-Alderman Badger, President Adams of the Common council. They immediately made a protest, as Lowell is entitled to 43 delegates. Some people had voted without having credentials and right away there was a talking gathering about the ballot committee.

Chairman Burns of the credential committee was called upon to explain himself and he learned to his great surprise that some one had voted on his own name as a delegate from Ayer, and he moved that the ballot be declared null and void and a new ballot ordered.

Mr. Ryder of Cambridge protested against this on the ground that some of the delegates had voted and gone away for the day.

Mr. Burns said that Lowell only showed 33 credentials to the committee, but Col. Chadwick of this city replied that 43 Lowell delegates had presented their credentials and that there must be a mistake in the report of the committee.

Chairman Burns then announced that a mistake had been made and that Lowell was entitled to 10 more votes. This ironed out the matter and the balloting proceeded.

When all had voted Col. Chadwick called attention to the statement of Mr. Burns of Ayer that some one had voted on his name and the chair declared that the ballot would be valid if there was no objection.

A. G. Walsh of this city then moved that the vote whereby the ballot was made a formal one be reconsidered so that the ballot may be informal.

Mayor Glines of Somerville seconded the motion.

The motion was put and declared lost but A. G. Walsh called attention to the fact that the ballot had been irregular and he said he knew that Mr. Upham would not care to take the nomination on an unfair ballot. The convention then reconsidered its action and voted that the ballot be informal.

UPHAM NOMINATED.

When the committee returned from the ante room there was silence as the chairman announced the following result of the ballot:

Whole number cast	297
Necessary for a choice	149
Samuel O. Upham	208
Cyrus Barton	89

Mr. Walsh on behalf of Mr. Barton moved that the ballot be made formal and Mr. Upham was declared the nominee of the convention.

While the ballots were being counted the registry of deeds conventions were held. Joseph P. Thomson of Lowell was nominated for the north district and Edwin O. Childs of Newton for the south district.

When a district committee had been elected the convention dissolved.

Catarrh

Whether it is of the nose, throat, stomach, bowels, or more delicate organs, catarrh is always debilitating and should never fail of attention.

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YOM KIPPUR

JEWISH DAY OF ATONEMENT IS ON.

At sunset last night the Jewish Day of Atonement, the feast of Yom Kippur, was solemnly ushered in by orthodox Jews, the world over, with impressive ceremonies in the synagogues and temples, and will continue until tonight at sundown, when after chanting the Myriff the observance will be concluded. Next to Rosha Shonah or the New Year this is the most important day on the church calendar.

For twenty-four hours, or from sunset to sunset, no Jew, orthodox, or otherwise, will touch a morsel of food, drink, smoke, attend to any business, or even light a fire. Not a few of them remained in the synagogues all night, last night, chantin, the solemn verses. This will be continued today. The feast of the Tabernacle will be observed by the Jews next Monday and will continue for nine days. No great significance is attached to the event, and business is continued just the same as any other time of the year, with the exception that there are daily services in the synagogues.

FUNERALS

LEFEBVRE—The funeral of Mrs. Joseph Lefebvre took place yesterday at her home, 403 Moody street, and services were conducted at St. Jean Baptiste's church. Solemn high mass was celebrated with Fr. Fournier, O. M. I., as celebrant, Fr. Lefebvre, O. M. I., as deacon and Fr. Nolin, O. M. I., as sub-deacon. The bearers were Messrs. Gignac, Gagnon, Dupont, Arcand, Jacobs and Belleville. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery in charge of Undertaker Albert. Among those present from out of the city were Mr. and Mrs. Lefebvre of Marlboro, Mr. August Lefebvre of Mechanicsville, N. Y., and Mr. Robert Munhall of Antrim, N. H.

McDERMOTT—The remains of the late Mary A. McDermott were consigned to their final resting place in the Catholic cemetery this morning. The funeral took place from her late home, 12 Court street, Pawtucketville, at 8.30 o'clock and proceeded to St. Patrick's church where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at nine o'clock by Rev. Fr. Callahan. The choir, under the direction of Mr. Fred G. Bond, sang the Gregorian mass and during the service appropriate selections were rendered by members of the choir. There was a profusion of floral tributes in evidence.

The bearers were Messrs. Patrick and Michael McGrath, Edward and James McKeown, Thomas Heath and Dominick Meehan. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Callahan. The funeral was under the direction of Funeral Director Charles H. Molloy.

HERBERT FUNERAL

REMAINS WILL BE TAKEN BACK TO ENGLAND.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 1.—The Earl of Pembroke, brother of the late British ambassador to the United States, Sir Michael Herbert, telegraphed as follows to the Associated Press:

"Davos-Platz, Switzerland, Oct. 1.

"Sir Michael was getting better of hemorrhage of the lungs when he had a sudden collapse from weakness, from which he could not rally. He died peacefully at 1.30 p.m. yesterday. His wife, myself and Lady Pembroke were present. The funeral will be at Wilton, probably October 6. Leaving today. (Signed) PEMBROKE."

Ambassador Choate, in accordance with instructions, from Washington, has expressed to the foreign office the deep sorrow at the death of Sir Michael felt by President Roosevelt and Secretary Hay.

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

DAVOS-PLATZ, Switzerland, Oct. 1—The body of Sir Michael Herbert, late British ambassador to the United States, will be conveyed tomorrow to England, if the necessary formalities can be completed.

The funeral exercises will occur at Wilton, Wiltshire, Monday or Tuesday. Sir Michael's family left here for England today.

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BUTLER RETIRES

FROM POSITION ON THE STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY.

Mr. Freeman H. Butler of this city, who has been a member of the state board of pharmacy since its organization, in years ago, retired on Tuesday last and at the meeting of the board at the State House was presented with a beautiful cut glass vase by the other two members. Mr. Butler expressed his thanks in a graceful speech and the members separated with best wishes for Mr. Butler's future years.

FALL OPENING.

Miss Abbie R. Higgins announces that her fall opening will take place on Friday and Saturday of this week. She extends a cordial greeting to the ladies of Lowell and would like to see them all on Friday and Saturday at her parlors in the Union Bank building to inspect the latest designs in fall millinery.

Miss Garrison and Miss Lizzie Bambrick and Miss Kate Maguire left yesterday for New York city.

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Thursday, October 8, 1903, at 7 O'clock, P.M.

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A JOLLY TIME

Enjoyed by the City Council at Gloucester

Treated to an Old-Fashioned Clam-Bake at Centennial Grove —Lowell Won Interesting Ball Game

The Lowell city council and city officials, to the number of 36, visited Gloucester yesterday, where as the guests of Mayor Tolman and the Gloucester city council they were royally entertained at a day's outing in Centennial Grove.

The Lowell party started away at 7.30 o'clock in the morning in a special car, kindly provided by Agent Taft, and although early indications pointed to a cool day when Old Sol became fairly alive to the situation, he dispensed his most comfortable rays, and when the Lowellians arrived at the home of the fishermen they found the day ideal for out-door sport. At the depot the visitors were met by a reception committee who escorted them to city hall where each was "badged" for the purpose of identification, and nothing was too good for the man who wore a "guest" badge.

At city hall a line of march was formed, headed by the Gloucester Cadet band, with the Lowell men in the lead and the Gloucester city council and a delegation of friends from Newburyport bringing up in the rear, and all moved through the principal streets to the special electric cars that awaited them.

The ride to Centennial Park took up 40 minutes, through a wild but beautiful country between huge ledges which were viewed with great interest by the members of the local street committee. A bracing breeze from the sea put new life into the party and all were in high spirits when they arrived at the grove. With the band playing "Hiawatha" and the crowd singing "Does Your Mother Ride a Bike," all marched to the grand stand where a group picture was taken.

"The Lowell guests wil please stand in front of fence," cried out the photographer.

"They're never used to being on the fence," replied Hughie Finnerty.

After the picture had been taken all hands dove into a lunch, and the Lowell men, with appetites sharpened by the sea breeze, did great execution upon the lunch.

After a short time had been taken "getting acquainted" the ball players were called out on the field and the second great struggle of the year was begun. The game was well played, and the spectators who looked for a burlesque exhibition were most agreeably disappointed.

Lazelle and Brunelle worked together as harmoniously as their names blend and were the star players on the Lowell team.

A timely two-base hit by Councilman John S. Palm on which President of the Council Cecil Adams scored, won the game for Lowell.

The game was an exciting one from the beginning of the first inning to the end of the ninth. Loud cheers were sent up by both sides for their players and each exceptionally good play was received with liberal quantities of applause. The line-up of the teams participating in the game was as follows:

Gloucester—Elwell c, Hackett p, McDonald 1b, Tolman 3b, Barrett cf, Damon ss, Worth 2b, Babson lf, Longan rf.

Lowell—Conners 3b, McCluskey ss, Brunelle c, Hayes 2b, Adams 1b, Palm lf, Cheney rf, Rourke cf, Lazelle p.

The final score of the game was 6 to 5. The Gloucester boys accepted their defeat in a graceful manner after a hard struggle against the victors.

When the base ball game was finished, hand ball, running, jumping and other sports were enjoyed.

The band then gave a delightful concert, a feature of which was an Irish jig by Robert Mountain and Timothy Ryan, two old salts, both in their eightieth year, the band furnishing the jig. All the latest popular songs were played, each getting a robust chorus. At 4 o'clock the line of march was reformed and all biked for the clam-bake in a shady corner of the grove.

There under piles of canvas and seaweed lay a genuine old-fashioned clam-bake, to which in a few moments the crowd "didn't do a thing." There were fine, fresh clams in abundance, delectable chicken lobsters, baked live, chicken halibut, baked sausage, sweet corn, sweet potatoes and an almost endless variety of good things to eat and enough to feed a regiment. With fine courtesy, no Gloucester man started in until every Lowell man had been served.

And how they did eat.

It was indeed a treat to the Lowell contingent and they made the most of it.

After the dinner sports were resumed and another concert given until 8 o'clock when electrics were taken for Gloucester again, where the Lowell guests were entertained at a club until train time.

Some of the party took an earlier train home, but the majority saw Gloucester by moonlight and returned to Lowell on the theatre train.

Before leaving, the guests cheered lustily Mayor Tolman and his city officials for their hospitality and both sides parted vowing that they would meet again when another summer came around.

A number of committees from the Gloucester city council had charge of the details of the arrangements for the gathering. The general committee consisted of Aldermen C. Homer Barrett and A. R. Cole, and Councilman William P. Deering.

The sub-committees were the following: Sports, Alderman Thomas F. Pell, C. Homer Barrett and Ernest S. Parsons; music, Alderman Albert R. Cole; bake, Alderman C. H. Barrett, E. S. Parsons and Councilman John J. Fanton; refreshments, Mayor James E. Tolman, Alderman C. H. Barrett and Councilman W. P. Deering.

The guests from Lowell were the following:

Mayor Charles E. Howe, Mayor's Clerk Edwards Cheney, City Messenger J. E. Pattee, Clerk or Committees F. M. Dowling, Aldermen James G. Hill, Richard J. M Cluskey, George E. Burns, President of Common Council Cecil L. Adams, Councilmen William G. Brown, C. Fred Hard, Thomas H. Braden, Asa B. Hilliard, Hamlet S. Greenwood, Samuel Fleming, John S. Palm, James W. Barry, Frank McLaughlin, Thomas J. Connors, Hugh Finnerty, Patrick F. Welsh, Andrew Livingston, James J. Hayes, Fred Cronan, Timothy F. Donahoe, John J. Finder, City Clerk G. P. Dudman, Purchasing Agent Fred H. Rourke, Dr. Pierre Bronelle, Chief of Fire Department Edward S. Hosmer, Inspector of Wires James F. McElhoim, Edward A. Simpson, Frank Lazelle, James Hearn, Peter J. Brady, ex-Councilman M. J. Markham and C. Frederick Goldthwaite.

Other visitors and the members of the Gloucester city government present were: Mayor James E. Tolman, Aldermen Edward McIntyre, Frank W. Lothrop, E. S. Parsons, Jeremiah Foster, Albert R. Cole and C. Homer Barrett, Councilmen Carlon H. Parsons, H. H. Parsons, Edwin F. Parsons, George C. Tuck, John J. Fanton, W. J. Hackett, Arthur W. Middleton, Maurice F. Dunn, William F. Deering, P. M. Longan, City Engineer Winslow L. Webber, City Solicitor Lincoln S. Simonds, Superintendent of Highways Finson R. Wheeler, Sealer of Weights and Measures N. J. McKinnon, ex-Water Commissioner Charles C. Cressey, License Commissioner P. Frank Payson, Assistant Chief of Fire Department Alfred D. Gorman, Representative Augustus Hubbard, Representative Frank Robinson Representative Moody Kimball of Newburyport, Doorkeeper of the House of Representatives Sidney Gardner and Philip H. Goldthwaite of the board of health.

ON THE CREASE.

On Saturday afternoon the Mohair club bring their list of fixtures to a close for the season. They journey to Boston and play the West India Wanderers. The team chosen to represent them will be as follows: J. W. Harrison (captain); H. Mosley (vice captain); D. Hird, H. Allen, J. Priestly, T. Southam, J. Harriman, J. Shuttleworth, J. Cooper, C. Waite and E. E. Fox, with A. Williams reserve.

The annual banquet of the Mohairs will take place during the first week in November. The committee in charge are President Harrison, Messrs. T. Southam, C. Aveyard, J. Mills, C. Gale, F. Harrison, J. G. Shuttleworth, A. Williams, J. Buckley, F. G. Humphries, H. Mosley, R. Firth and C. Hunt.

Yesterday T. Southam and J. Thorpe, members of the Mohairs, played in a cricket match at the Longwood tennis grounds, Boston, for the benefit of Isaac Chambers, the ground keeper.

RURAL DELIVERY

MARTIN FLAHERTY STARTED ON NEW ROUTE TODAY.

The rural free delivery route in Dracut was opened today. Martin Flaherty is the carrier and the residents of Dracut in the vicinity of the Lawrence road will be assured of good delivery. The new route extends through Kenwood as far as the Methuen delivery, and out to the Fox district where it meets the city delivery at this end.

ON THE LINKS

LOWELL HIGH DEFEATED PHILLIPS-ANDOVER.

The High School golf team defeated the team from Phillips Andover yesterday afternoon at the Vesper Country club links, Tyngs Island by the score of 18 to 2. The scores:

Wilder	1
Hylan	5
Buttrick	8
Huntress	0
Chadwick	4
Total	18
Moore	0
R. Brown	0
Gordon	0
Rawsey	2
A. Brown	0
Total	2

NORTH CHELMSFORD

The marriage of Frank McGlinchey and Miss Emma Messy of West Chelmsford took place Tuesday afternoon at St. John's parochial residence, North Chelmsford, performed by Rev. Edmund T. Schofield. Miss Margaret McGlinchey was bridemaid and Frank McGlinchey best man.

The Church Aid society of the Second Congregational church, held a baked bean and cold meat supper on Tuesday evening. Mrs. C. H. Whittemore was chairman of the committee in charge of the supper, and her assistants were Mrs. A. C. Mitchell, Mrs. Fred Duncan, Mrs. Geo. Sweatt, Mrs. Chas. Connell. The baked beans and meats were served by the following ladies: Mrs. Charles E. Scribner, Mrs. D. W. Shirreffs, Mrs. A. C. Mitchell, Mrs. George Sweatt, Mr. Edward R. Durant, Mrs. Elias DeLayle.

During the latter part of the evening a nice entertainment was given unler the direction of Mrs. Charles F. Scribner and Edward D. Durant.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

The U. S. Buntings open the football season on their grounds, Wigginville, on Saturday, when they play the Ward 5 team of Lawrence. The Buntings will appear in their new uniforme of amber and black jerseys and black pants. The Ward 5 team is rated as one of the best in the business, they having played in the final game for the Grant cup last season and were only defeated after a very hard game and after halfean hour extra time had been played, by the narrow score of 1 to 0. They are also the league champions of last season, winning the silver medals with gold centres, which were given to the league champions. This season the cup and medals will be given to the team winning the most points. The points will be two for a win and one for a draw. There are four new teams in the league this season, Lawrence F. C. and Merrimack F. C. of Lawrence, Boston Rovers of Boston and Lynns of Lynn. As the Buntings are the holders of the cup they intend to make a great effort to win the trophy the coming season, it having to be won three times to become the absolute property of any club. On Oct. 10 the Buntings play the Boston Rovers in Jamaica Plain, Boston, when they will meet a team which has two players of international reputation, having played for England against Scotland. The following team will play for the Buntings: Goal, R. Dertwistle; backs, right, J. Finlan; left, J. Marriott, half backs, right, M. Casey; centre, Ted Nelson, captain; left, G. Downey; forwards, right wing, G. Scholes, Ernest Nelson; centre, A. Campbell; left wing, Will Nelson, W. Cotton. Reserves, D. Allen, T. Creedon. Linesman, T. Robinson. Referee, J. Humphries of Methuen. Kick off at 2.45 p. m.

EGYPTA.

The first rehearsal for Egypta, to be given by local talent in Huntington hall, Oct. 20, 21, 22, was held in the Y. M. C. A. hall last evening and was attended by a large number of the city's best singers. The interest shown was remarkable for a first rehearsal and all were enthusiastic over the music of the opera. Only a small part of the score could be sung during the evening, but judging from that part, those in the audiences are assured a rich treat. It is classical but not too much so for the mass of the people. Everyone can find strains in it to appeal to them. The preparations have been well looked after and the rehearsals have started off in a way that can bring nothing but success in the end. The next rehearsal for adults will be Friday evening at 7.30 in Y. M. C. A. hall.

DEATHS

REDDING—Helen Irene Redding, infant daughter of John P. and Rose, died last night at the home of her parents, 451 Broadway.

OUIMETTE—Mrs. Mary Ouimette, wife of John B. Ouimette, died at her home, 90 Tilden street, yesterday, aged 42 years. Besides her husband she leaves two daughters, Mrs. Josephine Vaillaincourt of Canada and Mrs. Emery Regis of this city, and six sons, Athanase, Francis, Joseph, Alfred, Albert and Louis, all of Lowell.

CRAIG—Miss Edith B. Craig, youngest daughter of Rev. J. M. Craig, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city, died yesterday in Northfield, Mass. Her age was 18 years. The body will be brought to this city for burial.

CLARK—Blanche Clark, aged 14 years, the only daughter of William W. and Bertha M. Clark, died yesterday at the home of her parents, 13 Cosgrove street.

SANBORN—Mrs. Mary S. Sanborn, aged 70 years, died yesterday. Deceased resided at 256 East Merrimack street, and besides a husband, Edwin, she leaves a daughter, Miss Hattie Sanborn.

SANBORN—Mary S. Sanborn, aged 70 years, died Sept. 30th at her home, 256 East Merrimack street. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock. Friends invited. Burial private.

The widow of Postmaster Andrews of Hudson, N. H., who was herself badly injured in the Pelham trolley accident, was discharged from the Lowell hospital yesterday.

Miss Etta Gormley entertained a number of friends at her home on Lyon street last Friday evening in honor of her guests, the Misses Lilla Baxter and Edith Shultz of Washington, D. C.

Mr. Michael T. Rafferty, one of Lowell's most popular liverymen, accompanied by Mr. William Donnelly, has started on his annual vacation, which will include points of interest along the Hudson river.

FREE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

GARDINER, Me., Oct. 1—This was the closing day of the Maine Free Baptist Association's 15th annual conference. It was devoted to unfinished business, election of officers, the Free Baptist Young People and interesting discussions of the society's affairs.

DISCHARGED FROM BANKRUPTCY

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 1. Edward L. Dwyer, a promoter, and once the husband of Duchess deCastelluccia, has been discharged from bankruptcy for the second time in four years. His liabilities amounted to $374,824, while his assets were limited to his clothes; when he went through bankruptcy in 1899 his liabilities were $252,095, with no visible assets.

HEAVY RAIN STORM.

By Associated Press to The Sun

KINGMAN, Ariz., Oct. 1—One of the greatest rain storms in years has fallen over this part of Arizona. A vast quantity of water rushed down the tracks of the Union Pacific, washing out tracks and carrying out two bridges. Crowds of men are repairing the break.

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By Associated Press to The Sun

SALT LAKE, Utah, Oct. 1—"If King Edward would bring still closer together the English and American people, if he would weld more firmly the commercial interests existing between the English and American people and maintain the cordial relations of every character existing, he will make Sir Thomas Lipton his next ambassador to the United States," said United States Senator Thomas Kearns today, in speaking of and lamenting the death of Sir Michael Herbert.

"Sir Thomas Lipton has done more during the last 15 months to increase the good fellowship and genuine friendship existing between the American and English people," continued Senator Kearns. "Than all or the men and women in the British dominion. And he has done it without design or knowing it; he has done it altogether by his bearing contests. Sir Thomas is a typical representative of the best class of England's citizenship. He is one of the most polished diplomats I have ever met and one of the most successful business men in the world. He would make a great success as ambassador from England and I hope King Edward will realize his opportunity."

COTTON YARN COMPANY

MAY HAVE C. MINOT WELD AT ITS HEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Oct. 1—Mill circles were thrown into a state of excited gossip yesterday when the information circulated that C. Minot Weld, retiring president of the National Suffolk bank of Boston, was the president and general manager of the New England Cotton Yarn company now being organized in this state to take over the property of the New Jersey corporation of the same name. The Suffolk bank was Tuesday absorbed by the Second National bank of Boston. He is said to be closely identified with Kidder, Peabody & Co., who are heavily interested in cotton yarn, and who, according to a Boston report, have been looking all over New England for a man to take Mr. Knowles' place. It is reported that James E. Stanton, Jr., selling agent of the company, Henry L. Tiffany, cotton buyer, and Henry C. Sibley, financial manager, will also retire from the management. In general the rumors provided for what might be fairly termed a "turn over" in the management of the great corporation. The organization of the new company is expected to be completed in about a month.

SMOKING REVOLVER

FOUND IN POSSESSION OF A NEGRO AT CLINTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CLINTON, Oct. 1—Albert Holmes (colored) was arrested yesterday afternoon by Officers William H. Earle and John A. Grady, charged with assault with a dangerous weapon on an unknown party. The assault occurred in the Bigley yard, so called, in the Acre district, the houses in which are nearly all occupied by negroes. A group of a half-dozen were standing near one of the houses, when people at a distance suddenly saw them run from each other. One held a razor in his hand and another was brandishing a smoking revolver. Three shots were fired.

Holmes left the vicinity and was shortly afterward arrested on Oak street. When taken into custody he had the revolver in his pocket, also a razor. He admitted firing the shots, saying that he fired them wild to frighten away a man who was trying to carve him with a razor. As to the identity of that man he refused to talk, saying he was a friend of his, and he did not propose to get him into trouble. The men who were with Holmes have disappeared, and the police have not been able to locate them. The officers do not know whether any one was injured by the shots. Holmes was under the influence of liquor.

ARMY OFFICERS' MEETING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 1—The meeting arranged for today of a board of army officers for the purpose of considering the entire subject of electrical installations and appliances of all kinds in use in connection with the defences at this point, was deferred for two or three weeks because of the absence from the reservation of two members of the board.

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R. I. DEMOCRATS

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By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 1—Two hundred and twenty delegates representing the democracy of Rhode Island met here today in annual convention, formed themselves into a permanent organization for the conduct of the coming campaign, adopted a platform, and nominated the following ticket:

For Governor—L. F. C. Garvin of Cumberland.

For Lieutenant-Governor—Adelard Archambault of Woonsocket.

For Secretary of State—J. J. Gilmartin.

For Attorney-General—C. A. Aldrich of Providence.

General Treasurer—Clark Potter of North Kingstown.

The convention was marked by an entire absence of contest.

KIDNAPPED BOY

HAS BEEN RESTORED TO HIS MOTHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

OAKLAND, Cal., Oct. 1.—August F. Gonalces, aged 17, who was kidnapped ten years ago by his father and who has since wandered all over the world, has been restored to his mother at Haywards.

LOOKING FOR ROSS

PACKAGE CONTAINING LARGE SUM OF MONEY MISSING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 1.—A package containing money belonging to the United States government in transit from the local surveyor of the postoffice to the treasury department of Philadelphia disappeared last week and a warrant is out for the arrest of Isaac N. Ross of Ingram, special deputy collector, who took the money to the office of the United States express company for shipment to Philadelphia. Express company employes are under surveillance. Local officials say the money lost was $600, but several persons who claim to know, say the sum was about $8,000. Ross has not been at the surveyor's office since he left it with the package bound for the express office Monday, September 21.

NEW CORPORATIONS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 1—Papers filed for new concerns with a capital of $1,000,000 or over in the eastern states during September represented a total capitalization of $210,250,000, which compares with $77,900,000 in August. Excepting September, 1901, when the total was $66,500,000, these figures are the smallest monthly records in years. New Jersey headed the list with $88,250,000. Maine, which occupied first place in the previous month, came next with $26,000,000.

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98c LOT
Ladies' Kid Button and Lace Boots, were $2.00 and $3.00.
Ladies' Kid Oxford Ties, were $1.50 and $3.00.
Ladies' Kid House Slippers, were $1.00 and $1.75.
Child's School Shoes, Box Calf, were $1.25 and $1.50.
Youths' School Shoes, solid, were $1.25 and $1.50.
Ladies' High Cut Storm Boots, were $2.50 and $3.00.

$1.98 LOT
Men's Tan Lace Boots, Makey's, Nettleton, Curtis and Elite, were $3.50 and $5.00.
Ladies' Fine Kid Button and Lace Boots, were $3.00.
Ladies' Pearson Special Tan Boot, were $3.50.
Ladies' Kid Cloth Top Lace, were $3.00.
Ladies' Patent Vici Cloth Top Lace, were $3.50.

$2.98 LOT
Men's Elite Enamel Bals., were $3.50 and $4.00.
Men's Enamel Blucher Bals., French, were $4.00.

$1.48 LOT
Ladies' High Cut Welted Box Calf, were $3.50.
Ladies' Kid Button and Lace Boots, were $2.50.
Misses' Welted Lace Boots, were $2.00.
Misses' School Boots, were $2.00.
Boys' Tan Bals., hand-made, were $3.00.
Boys' School Shoes, solid, were $2.00.

$2.48 LOT
Ladies' Welted Button and Lace Boots, were $3.50.
Men's High Cut Box Calf Bals., Elite, were $4.00.
Ladies' Patent Vici Button and Lace Welted, were $3.50.
Men's Elite Patent Button and Lace Boots, were $3.50.

$3.50 LOT
All of Nettleton Patent and Enamel Calf Oxfords, were $5.00.

The above list is only a few of the many bargains that await you here. This space will not permit of full list. Come early and bring list of sizes. We will see to your wants as always have, this time with lowest prices in Lowell's history on Fine Footwear.
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MILK FIGHT OVER

Contractors and Milk Producers Agree

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 1.—The milk controversy was settled today in a way which insures Boston and New England plenty of milk at the same price that was paid last winter. The following agreement is now in force:

"Pending arbitration 39 1-2, Boston price, with two cents carrying charge or 37 1-2 flat price, on this summer's basis and conditions.

"If two cents carrying charge is insufficient to take care of the loss, then we limit excess production pro rata to bring it down to established carrying charge of two cents.

"We cannot in any event limit producer below last winter's production.

"If a producer, after notification, continues to send his excess milk, then it will be paid for at butter price.

The excess milk, if any, not to be pooled.

"No extension of territory."

President P. E. Ballard signed the agreement for the New England Milk Producers' union, and George O. Whiting signed it for the contractors.

RAIDING A CAR

Men Were Caught in the Act

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 1.—Men claiming to be George Wilson of Boston and Walter Monks of Ashmont, N. H., were arrested while ransacking an express car attached to the Boston & Maine passenger train No. 127 which arrived at 12.40 a. m. today. The train makes only one stop between Boston and Portland, so the men must have broken into the car at Portsmouth, expecting to escape when the train reached this city. The American Express employes happened to open the door immediately and discovered the men. They were disposed to resist arrest until a revolver was drawn by one of the expressmen. Packages scattered about the floor had been opened and much damage had been done.

CAUGHT "SPYING"

TWO MEN IN NEW YORK NAVY YARD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—It is reported from the New York navy yard that two strangers who gained entrance through the regulation visitors' pass, have been surprised in the act of taking expert notes on the battleship Connecticut, now being constructed. One of the men was observing the work through a glass and dictating notes to his companion. The matter was reported by a foreman and the visitors were requested to leave the yard immediately.

THE GOULD LINES

WILL BE FORMED INTO GREAT COMBINE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 1—Papers are being drawn up by attorneys identified with Gould interests for the consolidation of the Gould lines west of Pittsburg, with the exception of the Ann Arbor and the roads west of St. Louis. The combination will include, it is stated, the Wheeling & Lake Erie, the Pittsburg, Carnegie & Western, with its two underlying companies and the Wabash.

This matter will be submitted to the stockholders of the Wabash at their next meeting.

BANK MUST PAY

EVEN THOUGH DRAFT WAS LOST AT GAMBLING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 1.—Superior Judge Sloss has decided that a bank must check a draft and check wagered and lost at cards. The decision was in favor of Ralph C. Cotton of Salt Lake who sued the First National bank of San Francisco $1,145 on a certificate check and a sight draft issued to Clark Jones. James lost the check and draft in a poker game at Salt Lake. After passing through several parties the checks came into the possession of Cotton. James ordered payment stopped on the draft and check, claiming that he had been robbed.

PRINCE HENRY

CABLES HIS CONGRATULATIONS TO CHICAGO.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 1.—Prince Henry of Prussia, who was Chicago's guest last year, has cabled his congratulations and good wishes for Chicago on her hundredth birthday in the following message to Mayor Harrison:

"Mr. Harrison, Mayor of Chicago:—Received with heartfelt thanks invitation. Best wishes for the celebration. Success and prosperity for the future of the beautiful city of Chicago.

"Henry, Prince of Prussia."

The message was in English.

TILLMAN TRIAL

WAS RESUMED AT LEXINGTON TODAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LEXINGTON, S. C., Oct. 1—J. W. King, member of the legislature from Florence county, was the first witness called by the state today in the trial of J. H. Tillman. The witness said.

"On the day before the shooting I saw a pistol in Mr. Tillman's pocket."

On cross-examination he said he was aware of unfriendly relations between the defendant and Editor Gonzales.

The reading of the editorials of the State relating to the defendant was then begun.

Among the editorials which have been read to the jury, a number are criticisms of the defendant's action in telegraphing the president in connection with the Micah Jenkins sword fund incident, while others were written in opposition to Mr. Tillman's prospective candidacy for governor.

GASTON THE MAN

Richard Olney 2nd Selected for His Running Mate

HON. WILLIAM A. GASTON.

Meeting of the Democracy Held in Tremont Temple—Convention the Most Enthusiastic Held in Years

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, OCT. 1.—THE DEMOCRATS OF THE STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS NAMED THEIR STATE TICKET AT A CONVENTION HELD IN TREMONT TEMPLE TODAY.

THE TICKET DECIDED UPON WAS AS FOLLOWS:

FOR GOVERNOR—WILLIAM A. GASTON OF BOSTON.

FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR—RICHARD OLNEY, 2D, OF LEICESTER.

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE—EZEKIEL M. EZEKIEL OF SPRINGFIELD.

FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL—JOHN J. FLAHERTY OF GLOUCESTER.

FOR TREASURER—THOMAS C. THATCHER OF YARMOUTH.

FOR AUDITOR—F. X. TETRAULT OF SOUTHBRIDGE.

THE CONVENTION.

As the strains of popular airs, played by a full orchestra, floated out into the corridors of Tremont Temple, today, the delegates to the democratic state convention assembled to nominate a candidate for governor and other state officers and adopt a platform of principles. Many delegates from all parts of the state had reached the city last night, and the early trains brought others. When Congressman William S. McNary, chairman of the state central committee, appeared on the platform, more than 1250 delegates were in their places. Secretary G. T. McLaughlin of Sandwich read the call for the convention. Temporary officers were then chosen, Hon. William S. McNary being the chairman and George T. McLaughlin of Sandwich and Edward F. McSweeny of Boston, secretaries.

Mr. McNary outlined the work of the convention and announced committees. The reading of the report on permanent organization was marked by considerable enthusiasm.

Charles W. Bartlett, the choice of the convention, was received with great applause as he took the chair.

CHAIRMAN BARTLETT'S SPEECH.

In his address as permanent chairman of the convention, Charles W. Bartlett devoted his time largely to an arraignment of the republican party. He spoke of the evils of present tariff system and the danger of militarism, condemned the so-called frauds in the interior department of the United States and referred to the alleged dishonesty in the postoffice department. Speaking of state matters, Mr. Bartlett criticized the republicans for allowing the interests of Massachusetts to suffer in connection with commercial dealings with Canada and for their negligence in not enforcing the statute laws. Speaking on the tariff, Mr. Bartlett said:

"The people in time will comprehend the absolute robbery legalized by our present tariff. That time, in my judgment, is now rapidly approaching. Object lessons are multiplying. When we were threatened, only last year, by absolute stagnation of business and actual suffering in our homes, by reason of shortness of the coal supply, something had to be done to appease the wrath of a justly offended people and a striking illustration appeared when the tax on coal was practically suspended for one year. Even then no attempt was made to amend a line of the present tariff but legislation took place practically suspending its operation on a single item of one of the absolute necessities of life. Fear of absolute revolt upon the part of the people wrung this concession from their unwilling hands.

"The people are slowly awakening to the fact that this tariff by indirect and devious means is filching them of their money and making their burdens heavier. And is slowly debauching our government and otherwise endangering our liberties. The republicans ask what remedy can you suggest that will not cause confusion in business affairs. We answer, abolish your class legislation, amend your tariff, strike out all protection to monopolies, give infant industries capitalized to the million and the billion mark the same opportunities only that legitimate business enterprises have and that the people in general have.

"I again arraign the republican party for its doctrines on the questions of militarism. The dominant party has struck a false note; it is an appeal to the war spirit. In countries where such spirit prevails, possibly partly excused by their location, history teaches us that the plain people are ground down by it, for they eventually pay all the bills."

Speaking of imperialism, Mr. Bartlett said:

"It is a step toward confusion and danger. It is a departure from American ideas. It is a movement and a sentiment that bodes evil to us and our institutions. It is contrary to the teachings of our democratic ancestors. This republic cannot remain as a republic, one half republic and the other half conquered province."

The speech was listened to with the greatest attention and every point made by the speaker was quickly taken up by the vast audience, which expressed its approval by applause.

When Mr. Bartlett referred to Gen. Nelson A. Miles, as "the foremost American soldier living today, dear to the hearts of our people, idolized by his old comrades," he was greeted with applause and cheers which compelled the speaker to pause. When he resumed the audience remined quiet only long enough to hear the words "has been disciplined, snubbed, belittled and insulted by a crowd of fustian soldiers and sycophants surrounding the technical head of the army, who was a chance participant in one small fight——" when it burst into another tremendous tumult of handclapping and shouts.

The figures reported by the credentials committee showed 1697 delegates present out of 1942 entitled to seats. All of the 23 cities in the state and 297 out of the 320 towns were represented.

Nearly two hours were consumed in the delivery of the address and the speaker's closing words were followed by long continued applause, which finally culminated in three cheers and a "tiger" for Mr. Bartlett.

Frederick J. Stimson, chairman of the committee, read the resolutions as follows:

THE PLATFORM.

1.—We reaffirm the principles of democracy, which are eternal and immutable and vary only in their application and expression as the needs and dangers of our country demand. The democratic party shall fight the trust oligarchy now as it fought the political oligarchy with Jefferson.

2.—First of all we place the question whether those laws shall continue which put the livelihood of eighty millions of people in the power of the few which enable the rame hands that control the railroads to control the mines, that control the banks to control the treasury, that own the people's necessities to own the people's government. The trusts—monopolies made by law—entrenched behind a prohibitive tariff, buttressed by subsidies and special rates—plunder our people with the one hand while with the other they reach for conquest, and sell their product cheap abroad that they may sell it dear at home. We condemn the hypocrisy of that party which, admitting the evil, makes the remedy dependent upon a constitutional amendment which it never intends to pass. We despise that hypocrisy which outdoes populism in placing the treasury money at the service of favored banks and breaks the law to favor Wall street speculators. We favor immediate regulation of trusts under the inter-state commerce and taxation powers of congress and the admission free of duty on articles controlled by the trusts on raw materials of manufacture and the necessaries of life.

3.—We condemn the policy of conquest and subjugation. We demand that Cuba be treated as we promised; we demand that the Philippines be treated like Cuba.

4.—Reciprocity with Canada, long the hope of Massachusetts, must soon be achieved or abandoned for ever. We demand as a natural right an opportunity to preserve and enlarge our commerce with our northern neighbor.

5.—We hold that the principles of civil service reform should not be deserted by an official, however high or for a political exigency however great. United States senators should be elected by the people and not by legislatures packed or corrupted.

6.—We demand legislation throughout the country which shall equalize the hours of labor, shorten the hours of women and children, prohibit the labor of the very young in factories and protect mechanics and our employers by bringing other states up to the Massachusetts standard. We demand from congress a national labor code which shall limit the hours of continuous employment of railroad engineers, telegraph operators and switchmen and generally protect all engaged in inter-state commerce, by uniform law throughout the country. We condemn the abuse by some federal courts of the high writ of injunction. We favor tribunals for voluntary arbitration in all labor disputes with power to enforce their decrees.

We should condemn lynchings in the south or in the north as we condemn massacres in Russia or murders in the Philippines. Hence we favor an early declaration of our purpose in the Philippines and oppose the repeal of the 14th or 15th amendment.

The reading was frequently interrupted by applause. The reference to the election of senators by the people, the demand for a reduction in the hours of labor and for the prohibition of the labor of the very young in the factories, were received with marked approval. The report of the committee was unanimously adopted, amid cheers.

When Hon. Charles S. Hamlin stood up by his seat to nominate Col. W. A. Gaston for governor, he was given an ovation. He presented the name of the man who last year was the nominee for governor.

HAMLIN'S SPEECH.

Hon. Charles S. Hamlin, in presenting the name of Colonel Gaston, said in part:

"When I witness the enthusiasm of this convention, and see the faces of the delegates filled with determination and confidence I can only believe that the tide of democracy has turned and that we are on the eve of victory.

"The democrats of Massachusetts are assembled in convention to nominate its candidates for state offices; tomorrow the republicans gather for the same purpose. The two parties will join issue, and the people must decide between them.

"It is not my purpose here to discuss the issues of the campaign—that must be reserved for other occasions. The republican party at the proper time must defend its record, both state and national; and that record I believe not to be consistent with the principles of the immortal Lincoln, nor with the underlying principles of our government expressed in the constitution.

"In fact, I can find little in the present practices of the republican party suggestive of its origin, except its name.

"Since our memorable gains of last year, our party has not been idle. Whether we shall continue to gain and achieve victory depends now upon the individual as well as upon the organization.

"We enter upon this campaign with confidence that at the end when the votes are counted there will be genuine surprises for our republican friends, but we ask all work incessantly, and I shall ask no one to work harder in this campaign than I propose to work myself. With vigorous effort beginning now and ending on election day, we may approach the result with perfect confidence.

"The honor has been assigned to me of placing in nomination our leader for the fight. It is not necessary for me to describe him to you at this time, for you all know him; nor is it necessary to speak of his standing in the community, his successful life or his position at the bar. I can say, and will say, however, that when he enters upon the duties of his office he will have but one client—the Commonwealth and the people of Massachusetts.

"I present to this convention as its candidate for the office of governor, the name of William A. Gaston."

His speech was one which aroused the enthusiasm of the delegates. Mention of the name of Gaston was received with great cheers.

Ex-Mayor O'Connell of Worcester seconded the nomination and it was made by acclamation.

Hon. John C. Burke of Lowell placed Richard Olney, 2d of Leicester, in nomination for lieutenant governor, and after a seconding speech from Representative John A. Coulthurst of Boston this nomination was also made by acclamation.

The committee on "the balance of the ticket" reported as follows:

For secretary of state, Ezekiel M. Ezekiel of Springfield.

For attorney general, John J. Flaherty of Gloucester.

For treasurer, Thomas C. Thatcher of Yarmouth.

For auditor, F. X. Tetrault of Southbridge.

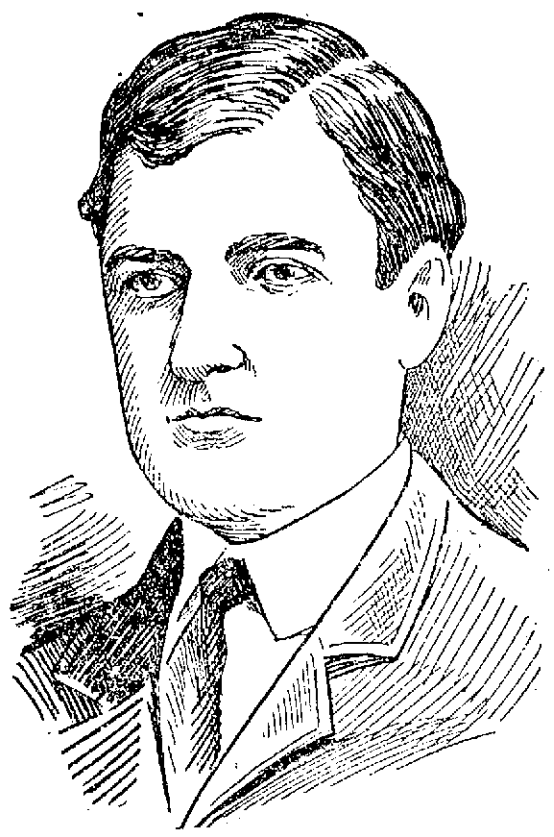
The report was accepted by acclamation.

A committee at this point appeared escorting Mr Gaston the nominee for governor, before the convention. His reception by the delegates was most flattering. After three times three cheers had been given, Mr Gaston spoke briefly. He said that he believed this to be a democratic year and that he believed the obligation to be on the delegates and himself to place the democratic party in the same position in which it was when the late William E. Russell was made governor.

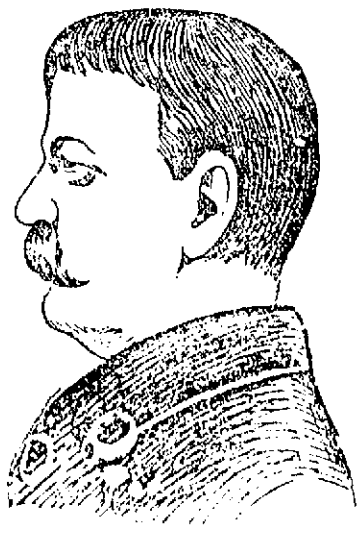
When Mr. Gaston had concluded, calls were made for Olney. The delegates refused to be satisfied until Mr. Olney was found and brought into the convention hall. He was greeted with three cheers, led by the nominee for governor. He spoke briefly, thanking the delegates for the honor conferred upon him.

John R. Thayer, of Worcester, and Thomas J. Gargan also spoke.

The convention then adjourned.



RICHARD OLNEY, 2D.



CHARLES W. BARTLETT.

MRS. MANSON GUILTY

OF THE MURDER OF MRS. WILSON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PUTNAM, Conn., Oct. 1.—After 10 hours' deliberation, a jury in the superior court today, returned a verdict of manslaughter against Mrs. Mary Manson, who has been on trial charged with the murder of Mrs. Julia A. Wilson, by poisoning. An indeterminate sentence of not less than eight years and not more than ten years in state prison was imposed, with a nominal fine of $1. The prisoner received the verdict calmly.

Mrs. Manson formerly lived at the home of Mrs. Wilson as housekeeper. It was discovered after Mrs. Wilson's death that she had been poisoned by arsenic, and Mrs. Manson was charged with the crime. As a motive the state alleged that Mrs. Manson desired to get possession of Mrs. Wilson's property through the latter's son, George Wilson, whose attentions to Mrs. Manson were frowned upon by the mother. The defence made a general denial of the allegation.

TRADE COUNCIL

DEMANDS THE IMPEACHMENT OF GOV. PEABODY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., Oct. 1—Resolutions have been adopted by the Colorado Springs Federated Trades Council calling on the citizens of the state, regardless of occupation, to demand the impeachment of Governor Peabody, for sending the militia to Cripple Creek during a time of profound peace. A committee was appointed to arrange for a mass meeting to take action.

RELEASED ON BAIL

NEWSPAPER MEN GIVEN THEIR FREEDOM.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VICTOR, Col., Oct. 1—At a late hour last night Editor Kaynor, Circulator Sweet and C. G. and F. W. Langdon, linotype operators of the Victor Record staff, who were arrested yesterday by the military, were turned over to the civil authorities and released on bonds of $1000 each. They at once resumed work in the Record office. They are charged with malicious libel, but it is said that other charges will be made against them today.

ESCAPED DEATH

RANCH OWNER STRUCK BY A TRAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NACO, Ariz., Oct. 1—J. W. Dooley, a ranch owner, was knocked on the head and robbed by highwaymen last night. The robbers then carried his body to the railroad tracks, expecting him to be killed. Dooley was struck by a train, but escaped instant death. He was taken to a hospital at Bisbee. At last accounts he was dying but had recovered consciousness long enough to tell his story.

FOR MANSLAUGHTER

GUCKES IS ON TRIAL IN BOSTON TODAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 1—To the charge of manslaughter in the killing of his companion, Edward Fuchs, by the discharging of a gun in Roslindale woods yesterday, Herman Guckes pleaded not guilty in the court at Jamaica Plains, today, and his case was continued until October 5. Hewas held in bonds of $2500.

WAS SHANGHAIED

Charge Made by Spanish War Vet

By Associated Press to The Sun

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Oct. 1.—George Dodge of Newburyport, Mass., a veteran of the Spanish-American war, arrived here yesterday with a story of an experience, the details of which have been placed in the hands of government officials at Washington for investigation.

Dodge, who has followed the sea for the past two years, claims that he, with two others, were shanghaied at Baltimore, Md., on the 20th of August, and shipped on board the British steamer Oxus, which is engaged in the fruit carrying trade.

According to his story, they were induced to ship through the advice of the keeper of the sailors' boarding house where they were stopping, who negotiated with them on behalf of the captain of the vessel for a trip to Bordeaux, France, and return, covering 15 days, with half a month's pay advanced.

After the vessel put to sea they learned that from Bordeaux the vessel was to proceed to the English shores, where new boilers were to be put in, and that $15 apiece "blood money," which was paid to the boarding house keeper for inducing them to ship, was to come out of their pay, so that there would be practically nothing coming to them.

When the vessel arrived at Bordeaux, Dodge, who was on duty in the anchor watch, jumped overboard and swam ashore. He sought out United States Consul Tourgee, who sent him to Southampton, Eng., with a letter to the United States consul at that port, where he was provided with passage on the American liner St. Louis, arriving in New York last Saturday.

Dodge was cook for company G, 1st New Hampshire volunteers, in the Spanish-American war, and afterward accompanied the 12th New York regiment to Cuba as officers' cook. He exhibits a letter from Consul Tourgee and other papers in substantiation of his story.

HOME MISSIONARY

CONVENTION OPENED AT MANCHESTER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANCHESTER, N. H., Oct. 1.—At St. Paul's M. E. church today, with a large attendance representing all the Methodist churches of New Hampshire and part of Massachusetts, the Woman's Home Missionary society of the M. E. church opened its 18th annual meeting.

Mrs. C. H. Farnsworth of Manchester is president, Mrs. F. R. Hillard of Lawrence, Mass., recording secretary, Mrs. E. B. Savage of Lawrence, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Alvin Young of Sunapee, treasurer. The reports showed the organization to be in an excellent condition. A feature of the afternoon session was an address by Miss Alice M. Guernsey, the national secretary. The meeting closes tonight.

CORN FOR PHILIPPINES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 1.—The superintendent of the Mint has just delivered to the War department 2,000,000 pesos for the Philippines. The coin was taken from the mint under military escort and transferred to the transport Sherman which sails today for Manila.

HAROLD LESLIE DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

AUGUSTA, Me., Oct. 1—Harold Leslie of Boston, well known in musical and theatrical circles, and in recent years manager of the Sir Charles Hotel at Craigs Point, Lake Maranacook, died suddenly Wednesday evening of acute indigestion.

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Best Butter	25c lb.	Best Ketchup small size, 3 btls. for	25c
Best Potatoes	17c pk.	Lenox Soap	7 bars 25c.
Our Best Teas	50c lb.	Loose Starch	6c lb., 5 lbs 25c.
Our Choice Teas	35c lb.	None Such Mince Meat	3 pkgs 25c.
Our Best Coffees	30c lb.	Choice California Prunes	6 lbs. 25c.
Choice Peas	9c can, 3 cans 25c.		

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The Very Best Flour	65c Bag		
The Very Best Potatoes	17c Peck; 65c Bushel		
Fancy Smoked Shoulders	8c lb.		
Excellent Hamburg Steak	7c lb.		
Very Best Spare Ribs	6c lb.		
Pea Beans	8c lb.	Kennedy's Nic Nac Crackers	5c lb.
Mixed Pork	8c lb.	Kennedy's Lemon Crackers	5c lb.
10c Bag Salt	5c	Kennedy's Fig Bars	10c lb.
3 lb. can Peaches	10c	Pure Coffee	15c lb.
3 lb. can Tomatoes	9c	The Very Best Pure Java and Mocha Coffee	25c lb.
100 Common Crackers	15c		
2 bs. Kenny's Ginger Snaps	9c		
Snaps	9c		

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LIABILITY ACT

B. & M. Employes Declare It Weak

Hearing at State House on Relations of Employers and Employes in Regard to Accidents, Disability, Pension Funds and Insurance

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 1.—The special commission appointed by the legislature to consider the relations between employers and employes gave a hearing at the state house today on employers' liability, disability or pension funds and workingmen's insurance. Colonel Carroll D. Wright, chairman, presided.

Frank K. Foster, representing the American Federation of Labor, said he thought the laboring man who was injured should not be compelled to prove that he was in the exercise of due care, but that this should rather be a matter for the defence to prove. The average laboring man was at enough of a disadvantage in legal proceedings against powerful employing interests and employers insurance companies. The question of due care on the part of an employe should be one of fact and not of law. The voluntary assumption of risk clause, Mr. Foster said, is a weak point in the employers' liability act of Great Britain.

Charles E. Baker, a freight conductor on the Boston & Maine railroad, said that the employer liability act of the present is weak in that it does not seek to prevent accident; the laws should aim to prevent injury not to provide damages.

Mr. S. A. Fuller said he thought some change should be made in the statutes which would impose upon employers the duty of seeing to it that proper appliances were used in construction work. He thought the employers' liability act should be put in the plainest possible language so that the courts would not misconstrue it.

The hearing will be continued tomorrow.

BANK TROUBLE

Greenfield Bank Calls in Examiner

By Associated Press to The Sun

GREENFIELD, Mass., Oct. 1—In response to a telephone message from the officials of the Packard National bank the suspension of which was announced last night, National Bank Examiner F. L. Fish of Vergennes, Vt., arrived here early today. Mr. Fish said he had come in answer to a call by telephone from the bank officials last evening. The comptroller of the currency at Washington had been notified that the bank is in trouble. He had yet received no authority from him to make an examination and he would do nothing until he received orders.

A few withdrawals were made from the savings bank today, but there was nothing in the nature of a run, and considerable money was deposited there. The officials of the savings bank state that even in case there should be a run the institution would be easily able to pay all who wished to withdraw.

A telegram was received from comptroller of the currency at Washington at noon appointing Examiner Fish temporary receiver.

He at once began to work.

BAKERS' STRIKE

TAUNTON DOUGH MIXERS QUIT WORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TAUNTON, Mass., Oct. 1—As the result of the action of the members of the local bakers' union, who are on a strike at the Quigley Brothers' bakery, the drivers in the employ of the concern, went out today in sympathy with the bakers.

TRIO INDICTED

IN THE POST OFFICE CASES TODAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—The federal grand jury which has been investigating the post office cases today brought in an indictment against George W. Beavers, formerly chief of the division of salaries and allowances of the post office department, and State Senator G. A. Green of New York, on the charge of conspiracy and two indictments against Scott Towers, who is in charge of a sub-post office station in this city on the charge of taking a commission on the sale of typewriters to the government.

JEWS SURPRIZED

Found Themselves at Anarchists' Meeting

Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Three thousand men, women and children, mostly of the Jewish race, who crowded Cooper Union in the expectation of celebrating Yom Kipper, have experienced a sad surprise.

They went to the hall in good numbers because there was a fee to be paid at synagogue services and admission at Cooper Union was free.

It happened, however, that the hall had been engaged by the Free Society, an organization composed exclusively of anarchists and instead of religious services in commemoration of the destruction of the Temple of Jerusalem, holy days were denounced by the speakers, who ridiculed Jewish customs and beliefs. The second speaker talked in Yiddish and the crowd then understood the nature of the meeting fully for the first time. His diatribe on the Hebrews was followed by a scramble for the door.

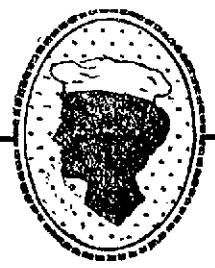
Many loud protests were uttered and the police, who were on hand in numbers, were called upon to stop the proceedings. They had no instructions on this point, however, and the Jews marched out in a body, denouncing the anarchists as they went.

ON JEROME'S TIP

NEW POLICE CAPTAIN MADE A RAID.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Mr. Jerome's "tip" has been taken and by Police Capt. Burfeind. The new ruler of the tenderloin descended upon an alleged gambling house in the very heart of his precinct yesterday and captured tables, faro layouts and chips. In West Thirty-first street Capt. Burfeind found the establishment which Mr. Jerome had pointed out so clearly in a recent interview as being "equipped with iron bars for effect, the entrance to which was through the tailoring establishment." Capt. Burfeind found the conditions as the district attorney had represented so far as the bars and the entrance were concerned. It was a raid sensational in that it lacked sledge hammers and axes. Capt. Burfeind made the raid with drawing-room politeness, but it resulted in two arrests being made and the capture of two wagon loads of gambling paraphernalia.



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FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITIONS

STOLE STEEL PANELS

Wilmington Man Charged With Taking $200 Worth

Two Missing Girls Found in Boston—Man Who Deserted His Family in Fall River Arrested Here

Inspector Lathamme of this city and Inspector Rooney of Boston, this forenoon arrested Andrew Greis of Wilmington, on a warrant sworn out by Mr. Sugenborph, manager of the Pennsylvania Metal Ceiling and Roofing company.

The warrant charges Greis with the larceny of metal panels valued at $200. He was employed in the work of remodelling the basement of St. Patrick's church. Inspector Rooney took him to Boston this afternoon.

MISSING GIRL FOUND.

Nellie Druce, the girl who disappeared from her home in South Lowell Sunday afternoon, is in Boston and will be brought home today. She called at the headquarters of the Young Women's Christian Association in that city in company with Minnie Paul of Auburn street, this city, at 9.30 last night and both girls are being cared for at that institution. Their parents have been notified.

DESERTED WIFE AND FAMILY.

William Dugdale, wanted by the Fall River police for deserting his wife and family in that city about 17 months ago, was arrested in this city last night. Dugdale has been living in Appleton street under the name of Joseph Lee.

He admitted when taken to the police station that he is the man wanted in Fall River. He has not contributed a cent toward the support of his family since he left Fall River. An officer from that city came to Lowell this afternoon and returned with Dugdale.

SAFE--BLOWER

Member of Bad Gang Belongs in Lowell

Inspectors Donaldson and Lahamme today discovered that James Blake, alias James Burke, one of the four men arrested in the western part of the state a week ago, is a Lowell man. His name is James Lombard and he was a criminal nineteen years ago. He is 38 years old.

The four men are supposed to be part of the gang that has made the lives of country postmasters and station agents miserable for the last year or so. They were loaded down with burglars tools when arrested.

The police are not sure that Lombard was born here, but they do know that he was convicted of larceny in this city in 1884 and sentenced to the house of correction for a term of ten months. He was then 18 years old and was photographed for the rogues gallery at that time.

Despite the fact that quite an armful of years have elapsed since he was first arrested in this city, his picture taken at that time and a picture taken a few days ago bear a very definite resemblance. The mouth is a bit more vulgar now but the nose, jaws and ears have not undergone much of a change. Lombard has a record. On April 29, 1899, he participated in a safe-blowing job at Ashburnham and was subsequently arrested in Boston and sentenced to four years in the state prison. At that time he gave his name as John Lombard.

KEEPING HENS

Must Not Keep Them Within City Limits

Without Written License From the Board of Health—Judge Hadley So Ruled Today

That much talked of hen case in which Moses I. Collins of Coral street was the defendant came up on continuance in police court this forenoon.

The defendant was charged with keeping fowl within the city limits in violation of a city ordinance and without a license from the board of health.

Jerome F. Manning appeared for the commonwealth and D. J. Donahue for the defendant. Mr. Donahue admitted that the defendant kept six hens within the city limits and attacked the ordinance, declaring that the case was based upon an ordinance invalid. He claimed that the city council has no more to say about where hens shall be kept than it has to do with the collection of ashes. The ordinance had been practically repealed, he said, by the delegation of the power to the board of health; the power to regulate the keeping of swine, sheep and poultry within the city limits. The board, he said, has the power to make its own rules and regulations and prescribe how such rules and regulations are carried out, and that if there was any violation at all it was a violation of a rule of the board of health not of an ordinance.

Mr. Manning said the board of health was responsible for the absurdity of the contention offered by the defence.

He said Mr. Donahue had been in very close communion with the agent of the board since the birth of the case.

Agent Knapp was in court and in the course of his remarks, Mr. Manning said he did not see why the agent of the board should be present in defence of a man charged with violating an ordinance.

He read the section that Mr. Donahue claimed was repealed, section 15, and stated that if that was repealed, the present board of health was illegally elected and if that was so, and if the board wanted to do the square thing, the members and their agent would have to turn back every cent of money they have received since the beginning of their illegal term in office.

Mr. Manning read a letter from Mr. Knapp, stating that chapter 22 of the city ordinance has been repealed.

He did not believe that the defendant should be allowed to escape under cover of technical distinction. He said it was treating with levity the rights of the people to come into court and say that a whole chapter of the city ordinance, covering so many important items, has gone by the board, and to offer an argument proper only in the superior or supreme courts. "I am here," continued Mr. Manning, "by request of Deputy Supt. Welch to appear for the commonwealth."

Judge Hadley suggested that he would allow the case to go to the superior court on a question of law. He did not want to put the government in a box. If he found in support of Mr. Donahue's contention the government, having no appeal, would be helpless and in view of this determination on the part of the court Mr. Donahue went from the matter of law to the matter of fact and called on his witnesses.

Agent Knapp of the board of health was the first witness. Mr. Manning objected to Mr. Knapp giving the court the details in the case in hand. The court finally decided to hear Mr. Knapp's story, but did not hear it in detail, because he said the only question was relative to a license.

Mr. Knapp told of the complaints going to him and making their complaints, of an investigation by an inspector, and the latter's report. He said the nuisance was not such as to call for an abatement. He said Mr. Collins had applied for a license to keep hens.

The question came as to whether a license had been granted by the board of health and there was no license. Judge Hadley ruled that a license issued by the board of health should be in evidence and in its absence he found the defendant guilty and imposed a fine of $10. An appeal was entered.

OTHER CASES.

John Flynn, for drunkenness, was fined $6.00; four boys charged with obstructing the street were given a certain lecture and allowed to go.

JOSIAH BUTLER

Was Married at Tufts College

Miss Gertrude Knight of Professors' row and Mr. Josiah Butler of Lowell were married at Goddard chapel, College Hill, last evening. The auditorium was decorated with palms and Easter lilies and thronged with guests, there being present many members of the Tufts faculty and board of trustees, the ladies of Professors' row, a host of alumni and alumnae of the college, besides a large number of guests from a distance.

Both the bride and groom are graduates of the Medford college, class of 1901. The bride is the second daughter of Prof. George T. Knight of Tufts divinity school. During her college course she was very prominent socially and in dramatic and literary circles. She was a member of the Alpha Kappa Gamma Society. The groom is a wealthy young manufacturer. While at Tufts he made a reputation as a student and athlete. He belonged to the Theta Delta Chi fraternity, was manager of the Tufts track team and played centre on the varsity football eleven.

The maid of honor was the bride's sister, Miss Isabel G. Knight, Tufts '99, of College Hill, and the best man the groom's old college chum, Alfred P. Heusted, Tufts, '01, of Albany, N. Y. The bridesmaids, all college companions of the bride, were Misses Amy L. Cole of Somerville, Margaret Fay of Tufts and Florence Charlton and Bertha Perham of Somerville. The ushers, all Tufts graduates, were Messrs. Otis M. Burrage of San Francisco, Thomas S. Knight of Pittsburg, Pa., Daniel Mackenzie of Lowell and J. Francis Berry of Mattapan.

The bride was attired in a wedding gown which was worn by her aunt 50 years ago. It was of white brocade, trimmed with chiffon and duchesse point. She carried roses. The maid of honor wore a lace trimmed gown and carried roses and maidenhair fern. All the bridesmaids were dressed in pale green liberty silk. Their roses were McKinley Favorites.

President Capen performed the ceremony and Charles Anthony of Professors' row presided at the organ. A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents on Professors' row. Mr. and Mrs. Butler will reside in Lowell.

"LADIES' NIGHT."

The second in the series of "ladies' nights" will be observed at the Mathew Temperance institute's quarters this evening. The Middlesex orchestra will furnish music.

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MASON FRUIT JARS—We have a few left; pints, 80c; quarts, 49c; half gallons, 69c, and double trading stamps, either blue or green. Dickson's Tea Store, 68 Merrimack street.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The two o'clock and five o'clock editions of The Sun are on sale every day at both newsstands in the Union station, Boston.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Woman to do light housework and care for two children. Apply 131 Cushing street.

WANTED—Carpenters. Apply at once to D. F. Lord, Soldiers field, Brighton, Mass.

WANTED—A few more ladies to bead slippers. 13 East Merrimack street, one flight up.

WANTED—Barber at once; steady job. Call Paradis, 24 Middlesex street.

WANTED—Girl to do light housework at once. Call 46 Bartlett street.

WANTED A thoroughly competent house girl; must be a good cook and laundress; this is a good place for the right party. Inquire at 541 Westford St.

WANTED—Reliable woman to work in a small boarding house. Apply Mrs. E. A. Hall, Cottage row, North Chelmsford.

WANTED—Young people to do copying at home; no deception; send stamp. Standard Supply Co., Box 828, Worcester, Mass.

WANTED—Meat cutter as a partner in the meat business, we have the horse and cart. Call after 7 p. m. 173 Merrimack street, room 2.

BARBER WANTED at T. J. Smith's, 281 Fayette street; steady job.

WANTED—Girl for general housework in family of three. Inquire 70 Willow St.

WANTED—A wet nurse without baby. Apply 101 Cabot street.

WANTED A girl to assist in housework. Apply 6 Elliot street.

WANTED—Comb tenders, gill box tenders and card room help, also two section hands for the combing room; good wages for experienced help. Address box 25, Barre Plains, Mass.

WANTED—Man to work on farm; must be temperate and understand care of poultry. Call at 35 Middlesex street, room 18.

WANTED—Young men to learn pulling over. Apply at Stover & Bean's, Hood building, Thorndike street.

WANTED—Six good carpenters. Apply at 11 Wilson street or 102 D street.

WANTED—Person to call on retail trade for manufacturing house; local territory; salary $18.75, paid weekly, expense money advanced; previous experience unnecessary; business successful; inclose self-addressed envelope. Standard house, Chicago.

WANTED—A good kitchen woman at 135 Liberty street. Wm. W. Boardman.

WANTED—A middle-aged woman to keep house for two people and one child; good home to the right party. Call this evening and Sunday, rear 124 High street.

WANTED—Two industrious men of sober habits; salary and commission; greatest chance ever offered for rapid promotion. Call between 4.30 and 5.30 p. m., No. 5 Grosvenor block. J. J. Whelton, asst. manager.

WANTED—A second girl at 79 Appleton street.

WANTED An old lady to take care of two children. Apply at 1 Concord place.

WANTED—Reliable men, over 30 years of age, to represent us in Hampden county; good, permanent position; references. C. R. Burr & Co., nurserymen, Hartford, Conn.

WANTED—Girl to do general housework in family of four persons; good wages. Address G., Sun office.

WANTED—Housegirl at Employment office, 134 Gorham street.

WANTED—Ex agents of the John Hancock, Prudential and Metropolitan Insurance companies will hear something to their advantage by calling at 89 Elliott street from 7 to 8 p. m. Inquire J. T. Fitzgerald.

WANTED—Experienced girls to make paper boxes. Apply C. F. Hatch & Co., 73 Church street.

GIRLS WANTED

For electrical work; age 16 to 22 years.

Apply or write Supt. General Electric Co., West Lynn, Mass.

TO LET

TO LET—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping; rent $2.25 per week. Apply 19 Hurd street.

TO LET Tenement of seven rooms at 32 Cady street. Apply 31 Gorham street.

TO LET—Modern nine-room house on Dover street; large yard, fruit and shrubbery, splendid neighborhood. Will be vacant Oct. 1. E. H. White, 137 Central street.

TO LET—One large furnished room on first floor, another room on two flights, on First street. Apply at Sun office.

TO LET—Steam heated rooms, gas and bath at 159 Gorham street.

TO LET Pleasant upstair tenement of 7 rooms; pantry, bath and good piazza; separate doors; at 329 Fairmount street, junction of Rogers. Apply 341.

TO LET—A 5-room tenement with bath, hot and cold water. Inquire at 32 Barker street.

TO LET—Tenement of six rooms and bath at 296 Moore street; good location; rent $14.

TO LET—Cottage house on Batchelder's court. Key and information at next door.

TO LET—Our aim is to furnish tidy, attractive tenements to quiet, self-respecting families at the lowest possible cost; if you are looking for a tenement that is pleasant and healthful, with good neighbors and at the same time is low in price, call and see us. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

TO LET—Tenement of 4 French places; rent $11. Inquire 55 Willie street.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—Stray horse, chestnut with bob tail, two white feet, white spot on forehead. Owner can have by calling at 231 Aiken street.

FOUND—A Boston terrier bitch. Owner can have by proving property. Edward McLaughlin, Lowell road, Nashua, N. H.

LOST—Down town, Tuesday, a white and brown water spaniel; collar marked Handy Dudley, 53 Newbonville avenue, Newton, Mass. Please send information to 51 Marlborough street, city.

LOST—In Middlesex street station, a bill book containing a sum of money, B. & M. trip book and gold locket. Reward at 35 Marginal street.

LOST Bill book on Tuesday evening, containing sum of money and deposit check on John Hancock Insurance Co. Reward for return to 54 First street.

LOST Sept. 29, on Middlesex street between Goodin's restaurant and Central street, $5 bill. Return to Sun office and receive reward.

FOUND—A silver watch. Owner can have by calling on Mr. Brick, Elsmere, Dracut, Mass., after 7 p. m., proving property and paying advertisement.

TWO FRAUDS.

The merchant who would try to sell a pair of shoes without opening the box in which they came from the factory, would be regarded as a fraud and a trickster, and the newspaper which denies to the advertiser all the information he desires in reference to its circulation, must not expect the confidence of its patrons.

FOR SALE

AUCTION SALE Thursday, Oct. 8, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, fine line of household furniture at 21 Powell street, near Shaw hosiery.

FOR SALE—Carload of new milch cows and springers from Vermont. Jason Fuller's farm, Wamesit, Mass.

FOR SALE—Fine cabinet $95 organ; good as new; $45, easy terms; $35 cash. Room 2, No. 13 Merrimack square.

FOR SALE—New White and Household sewing machines, wholesale price; one good White $10, one Domestic $8. Room 2, No. 13 Merrimack square.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred B. P. Rock and R. I. Red pullets cheap. E. Vincent, Amesbury street, Elsmere, Dracut. Call day time.

FOR SALE—Oldsmobile 1902 model, emergency brake; has been but little used. Inquire Upton & Gilman's, Middlesex St.

FOR SALE—An open end spring piano box buggy. Apply 79 Royal street.

FOR SALE—Bay pacer and pneumatic wagon. Call at room 46, Bon Marche.

FOR SALE—Parlor stove, almost new. Apply Joseph Cote, 17 Davis street, Pawtuckville.

FOR SALE—Portable pool and billiard table, suitable for home use; will sell cheap if taken at once. Inquire No. 10 Sydney street.

FOR SALE—Restaurant doing a good business; a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 60 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—Two nice male collie puppies, 4 months old, kind and affectionate; cheap to good home. Apply Billings' livery stable, Merrimack street, opposite Tremont.

FOR SALE—A variety store situated in a good business neighborhood, established trade of seven years; an exceptionally fine place for one who dresses neatly; poor health of owner reason for selling. For all particulars, terms, etc., inquire of E. R. Donovan, room 1, Swan block, 26 Central street. It may be your opportunity.

RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices, 4-in one line stamps 15c; 1¼ in., 20c; 3-in ink pads, 5c; 25c ink pads, 15c; 50c. linen markers, 25c; business stamps, 15c. per line. J. M. Fellows, 189 Merrimack St.

MISCELLANEOUS

IF YOU WANT your mattresses made over at your home call at 946 Central St.

PARLOR MILLINERY—Mrs. A. Van Tiles, 56 Gates street; opening Friday and Saturday; choice line of trimmed hats and latest millinery novelties.

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MRS. FLETCHER, 769 Gorham street, trance business medium and card reader.

J. W. GREENLAW, carpenter and general jobber, 58 Middle street, Lowell, Mass. Telephone 836-13.

DRINK GLORIA—Look out for imitations and don't be an easy mark for frauds. Doyle Bros. Telephone.

PRIVATE LESSONS in English given to those who desire for 25 cents an hour; also lessons in drawing and painting for children; oils, water colors or crayon; 25 cents an hour; hours from 10 a. m. to 9 p. m. Miss Wilkins, 150 Andover street.

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Gaston and Olney. There's victory in the combination.,

First blood for Pittsburg, but Boston still has a chance.

The enthusiasm that marked the proceedings of yesterday's democratic convention was an absent feature of the republican gathering.

The ticket is named. Now get to work on the check lists. Let every eligible democrat be registered and the November vote will testify to the strength of the party in this city.

The republicans had their usual county convention fight. Now it's for the democrats to select strong men for the county offices and make a fight as vigorous as that which will be waged throughout the state.

FEMALE STUMP ORATORS.

It would seem from the results attained by the recent experiment that the female stump orator will not be considered as a potent factor in the political contests of the future. We believe in affording women every opportunity to enter the various fields of industry and the professions, but we really feel that a woman on the stump in a political campaign is very much out of place.

THE DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.

The platform adopted by the democratic state convention is one that will commend itself to every thinking man in the state. It is a practical declaration of sound principles that must appeal to the people at large. The candidates who have been chosen to make the fight on this platform are men of unquestioned ability in their respective professions, men who will win the confidence of the people and who if elected, will administer the affairs of state in a business like manner, regardless of political conditions and with a view only to keeping the old Bay State in the front rank where she belongs. The platform comes out strongly for home rule in cities; it charges, and properly too, that the republican party has assumed a position directly opposed to the welfare and best interests of Massachusetts.

On the question of popular rights, the platform is solid, direct and patriotic. With such candidates and a platform, framed for the whole people, unhampered by partisanship, yet thoroughly democratic, the state of Massachusetts should return to the democratic column as in days of the lamented Russell, when democrats ruled with a conservatism and patriotism that commanded the respect and admiration of the entire country.

NO DISCRIMINATION.

It has been openly asserted that the water board is extremely partial in dealing with the corporations of the city, and that they have made concessions to the corporations which they would not make to ordinary consumers. If this charge is not refuted it leaves the water board in a very unenviable position. There should be no preferences in dealing out the city water. All should be treated alike. The water board makes an extra discount to large consumers, which we believe is contrary to the spirit of municipal government. It would be just as reasonable to say that the heaviest taxpayers should have a lower rate per thousand. How would it seem if the United States government were to sell postage stamps at a discount to large consumers; and yet the idea of selling water which is pumped at the public expense, at different prices per thousand gallons is just as absurd. It is an unjust discrimination and we believe it is illegal. We do not see where the water board gets its authority to charge one person more for a thousand gallons of water than it does another, and we believe if the matter were taken to the courts the action of the board would be declared illegal. If any discrimination at all is made it should be in favor of the small consumer. The real purpose of distributing water is to serve the public and improve the public health.

If there is any concession to be made in the rate, we believe it should be in favor of the small tenement house consumer. The small family rate should be as low as possible, and the last rate to be lowered is that of the large consumer, who can well afford to pay for the water he uses. Besides there should be but one rate for quantity. We are not alone in the belief that the corporations feel that they can get any favor they ask from the Lowell water board. It is well known that the chairman of the board is extremely partial to the corporations. This may be because of the fact that he receives a great deal of his business from the corporations and it may not. But regardless of this, there are enough level-headed men on the board to see that the taxpayers and the corporations as well, receive justice, and nothing more or less. The taxpayers know when they are used unfairly, and they are pretty generally of the opinion that it is time for the water board to mend its ways in certain directions.

THE LABOR WAR.

Without entering into the question as to which side is right, or where lies the blame for the present disturbed condition of the labor market, it can safely be asserted that at no time in our history have the industries of the country been in a more dangerous condition than they are today. Nearly every business, trade and industry is affected by the labor war which is now raging throughout the length and breadth of the land. It is high time that some remedy for this unsettled condition should be found. Unless the remedy is applied, and applied quickly, the effect upon business will be injurious. True, there never was a battle where one side or the other was entirely in the wrong or where one side or the other did not go to extremes, but whatever the merits of the causes at issue it is plain to every observing person that the present conflict between capital and labor is developing into a bigger curse to this country than the Civil war, and we really believe it has already been far more costly to the people.

Another year of the present unsettled condition of our trades and industries would inflict lasting injury not only upon our domestic trade but more particularly upon our foreign commerce. It has been predicted by men of wide experience, gifted with that wisdom which sees far into the future, that unless the American employer and employe settle their differences very soon, they will lose the markets of the world. We produce today twice as much as we consume, and it is, therefore, necessary for us to have a foreign market for nearly all our products. Our foreign market has been extending gradually for the last ten years until we actually alarmed the powers of Europe. The Europeans, however, are just now watching our prolonged labor troubles with a great deal of satisfaction, and they agree that if the war continues long enough, they will have no need to fear American competition in the future. In view of this danger is it not time for the employer and employe to get together, settle their differences, and agree upon some basis that will be equitable to both and at the same time establish a condition of stability in our trades and industries that will make us once more the envy and terror of the foreign manufacturer.

HARVEST SUPPER

AT THE GRACE UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

The annual harvest supper of the parishioners of the Grace Universalist church, conducted under the auspices of the Grace Church Alliance, was held last night, and both in point of attendance and financial returns was a great success. A sumptuous repast was served in the vestry from 6 until 7.30 o'clock.

The matrons were Mrs. Abbott and Mrs. Dr. Wood. A large number sat down and enjoyed an excellent menu which was served under the direction of Mrs. Fred Brown.

Beginning at 8 o'clock, and for over an hour the following very pleasing program was carried out:

Solo, Osmond Long; violin solo, Miss Florence Nix; reading, "Bernado del Carpio," Miss Elizabeth Moore; violin solo, Miss Florence Nix; recitation, Miss Rhoda Deane; musical selections, Arthur Booth.

The entertainment was concluded with a screaming farce, entitled: "Fast Friends," in which the Misses Deane and Sadie Moore were the principals. These two clever young ladies kept the audience in roars of laughter, and their performances were one of the best features contributed to the entertainment.

THE CREATORE CONCERT.

All lovers of music should attend the concert Sunday evening, in Huntington hall, by Creatore, and his Italian band of sixty players. Creatore's programs are always pleasing and satisfying, but almost any one of the great numbers at a concert is said to be worth the price of the whole concert. For instance, his selection from Carmen, is a liberal concert alone, as it takes 26 minutes of time, and introduces the best solos and gems of the whole opera. There are several other opera selections of about the same length, and generally one of these finds a place on the program. The criticisms published from other journals revel in Creatore's playing of such numbers as the overtures to "Tannhauser" and William Tell," an organ offertorio, the sextette from "Lucia," and selections from various Italian operas, but these are praised so highly simply because they happened to be played at the time.

After one becomes acquainted with Creatore, the program is of secondary consequence, as it is the Creatore enthusiasm and dominating personality which overwhelms everything else and carries the audience off its feet. No one can describe it. One must see Creatore to realize what a wonderful person he is.

Flanagan's Singing Orchestra at Huntington hall tonight.

SEASON OPENS

THE LAW IS OFF IN AROOSTOOK COUNTY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BANGOR, Me., Oct. 2—Up to the arrival of afternoon trains from the Aroostook game county, no deer had arrived here yesterday afternoon, the opening day of the game season.

FINGERS LACERATED.

John Butler, aged 18, an employee of the United States Bunting company, had his left hand caught in a gear while at work yesterday afternoon. Two fingers were badly lacerated. His injuries were dressed at the Emergency hospital.

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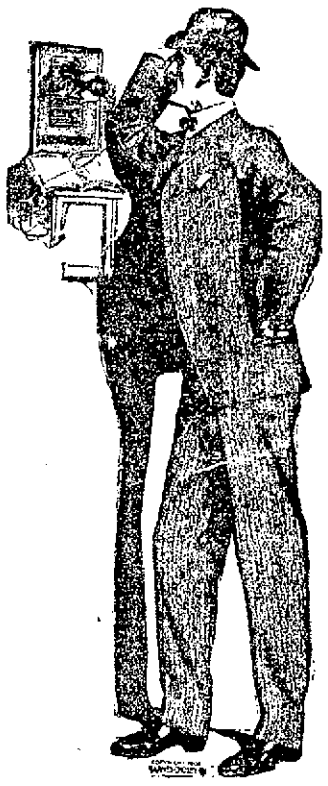

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Young men's stunning suits

Nothing like this great collection of young men's suits has ever been shown in Lowell—made exclusively for young men 32 to 36 breast measure. Patterns entirely different from these in our men's stock; livelier and with more "go" to them; coats shorter; snugger fitting; trousers full at the hips; small at the foot—this line of young men's suits has been the greatest success of anything we ever introduced—single and double breast sacks as you prefer.

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Norfolk Suits
with plaited jacket, plaid or knickerbocker trousers, and the new smart cut, two-piece suit; double breast jacket, with long roll. These leading styles for boys 8 years to 16 in Bannockburn cheviots, domestic cheviots and plain blue worsted cheviots from $3.50 to $9. We offer today specials in both Norfolk and double breast suits, for only **$2.00**

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for little boys 2 1-2 to 6 years of age—made with the new Eton collar or with deep sailor collar—plain or Knickerbocker breeches. The prettiest collection we have ever shown, in new cheviots and navy, and royal blue, brown and red serges, from $4 to $7. A special today in Russian blouse suits is offered for . . **$3.50**

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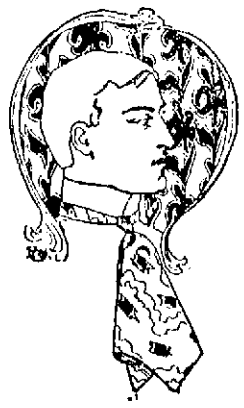

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A MISSING BOY

Supposed to be Hiding in Lowell

HE LEFT HIS HOME ON AUGUST 5

His Widowed Mother is Heartbroken

For days, weeks and months, Mrs. Westcott, a widow, living at 22 Village street, Boston, has been searching the city and suburbs for her only son, Charles Anthony Westcott.

The boy, who is 15 years old, disappeared August 5th, and since that time she has spent her last dollar in trying to get trace of the boy. Days and nights she has scoured the city without avail, and her heart is breaking over the boy's absence.

She employed a private detective who represented that he knew where to find the boy. The man never made a search but took her money, she declares.

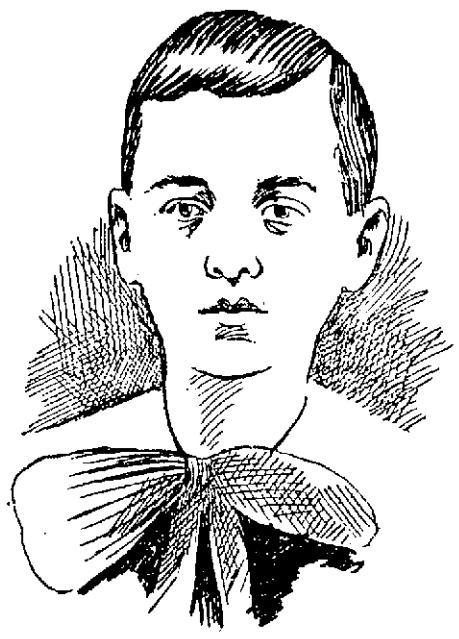
On account of some trouble which he had at school, the boy left home August 5th last. Since then he has been seen around the West End and Cambridgeport, about the streets and sleeping on doorsteps at night.

Though his mother has haunted these places in hopes to find him, she has not caught sight of him.

Someone informed her that the boy was stopping at a house in Cambridgeport about a week ago. She went there and found that he had left there. At that place he said his name was Livingstone and that his mother was dead.

Mrs. Westcott is alone in the world, and has made herself penniless in searching for the boy, but desires only that he will return home and she will forgive all. She has learned recently that the boy had come to this city and is in hiding here and she has written The Sun asking its assistance in searching for him, believing that if he could realize his mother's sad plight he would at once return.

Any information regarding him will be received at this office or by his mother at the above address.



CHARLES A. WESCOTT, RUNAWAY BOSTON BOY, SUPPOSED TO BE HIDING IN LOWELL.

AT THE CASTO SATURDAY.

Tomorrow is children's day at the Casto theatre and the children will be out in force, for they are strong adherents of Manager Haynes. For their entertainment he has prepared a program which will especially appeal to them. The merry musical farce comedy, "Too Much Married," will prove most enjoyable to them for the adventures of Bob Henshaw in his adventures to secure a fortune are most amusing. The fun is fast and furious in the comedy and the musical numbers are very pleasing. In the remainder of the bill will be seen Borani and Nevaro, the original "Weary Wiggles" of the "Foxy Grandpa" Co., and the acrobatic girl; William Tompkins, vaudeville's premier monologuist in "Topical Talks"; Lavine and Lenard, comedy jugglers and automobilists; and Miss Ray Cox in songs and stories. Reserved seats may be ordered by telephone 815-3 or by calling at the box office which is open from 10 a. m., to 10 p. m.

All the latest music at the Burkes' social tonight.

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—PROGRAMME—

AFTERNOON

PART FIRST.

1. March, "For the Flag" ..... Lampe
2. Overture, "Tanhauser" ..... Wagner
3. { Menuett ..... Paderewski / Gavotte, "Affaire D'Amour" ..... Puerner }
4. Cornet Solo, "Magnolia" ..... Missud
   Mr. R. McDaniel.
5. Selection, "Peggy from Paris" ..... Loraine

PART SECOND.

6. Suite de Ballet, Anthony and Cleopatra ..... Gruenwald
   1. "In the Arbor."
   2. "Solo Dance."
   3. "Dance of the Nubians."
7. Selection from "The Defender" ..... Deere
8. Xylophone Solo, "Concert Galop" ..... Ellenberg
   Mr. B. L. Williams.
9. "The Chirpers," Morceau Characteristic.. Frank
10. "Fantasia from Faust" ..... Gounod

EVENING

PART FIRST.

2. Overture, Tannhauser" ..... Kadlwoda
2. Entre Act, "La Columbe" ..... Gounod
3. Selection, "The Storks" ..... Chapin
4. Piccolo Solo, "Scherzo" ..... Bonnisseau
   Mr. Z. I. Bissonnette.
5. { Idyll, "In Beauty's Bower" ..... Bendix / Arabian Intermezzo, "Zamora" ..... Loraine }

PART SECOND.

6. Selection, "When Johnny Comes Marching Home" ..... Edwards
7. Czardas, from "Coppelia Ballet" ..... Delibes
8. Baritone Solo, "L'Elegante" ..... Damare
   Mr. O. R. Park.
9. Selection from "The Mocking Bird" .... Roberts
10. Concert Waltz, "Kaiser" ..... Strauss

AMERICAN ORCHESTRA, MR. E. J. BORJES, CONDUCTOR.

DEATH RETURNS

Physicians Must Fill Out New Blank

The health department has sent out to the 140 physicians of this city copies of the new death returns which have been issued recently by the secretary of state, enclosing with them the following letter:

Lowell, Mass., Sept. 29, 1903.

Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed a blank death return sent to this office by the secretary of State of Massachusetts, with the instruction to discard the old return, and to call to the attention of he physicians of Lowell Chapter 29, Section 10.

"A physician shall forthwith, after the death of a person whom he has attended during his last illness, at the request of an undertaker or other authorized person or of any member of the family of the deceased, furnish for registration a certificate stating to the best of his knowledge and behalf the name of the deceased, his supposed age, the disease of which he died, the duration of his last illness, and the date of his death. A physician who has attended at the birth of a child dying immediately thereafter, or a physician or midwife who has attended at the birth of a child born dead, shall forthwith furnish for registration a certificate stating that to the best of his or her knowledge and belief such child either died immediately after birth or was born dead. A physician or midwife who neglects or refuses to make such certificates or who makes a false statement therein shall forfeit not more than fifty dollars."

There are some physicians who are in the habit of writing on the return the cause of death and their signature. In future please fill all the blank spaces on the physicians' certificate and write "unknown" where such is the fact. The desire of the secretary of State and the city clerk is to have conformity to the statute and the uniformity in the statistical value of the returns.

Yours truly,
H. H. KNAPP,
Agent.

PIECE OF STEEL

STRUCK JOHN O'NEIL IN THE EYE.

John O'Neil, aged 16, of 114 Common street, was taken in the ambulance to St. John's hospital with a piece of steel in his left eye. The accident occurred while the young man was at work in the Lowell machine shop.

HOLYOKE RACES

GLENWOOD, JR., ACCUSED OF BEING A RINGER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HOLYOKE, Mass., Oct. 2 Only two races were on yesterday's card at the fall meet of the Holyoke Park association. In the 2.33 trot Glenwood, Jr., was thought to be a "ringer," and was protested by C. E. Jackson of Paterson, N. J., owner of Tantilla, the favorite.

There was no proof, however, and the horse was allowed to race.

Glenwood Jr. had the speed, but broke badly in the last two heats and the favorite finally won. Sunshine, a Springfield horse, won the 2.21 pace, although Calshot was a favorite. The summary:

2.33 trot; purse $300. Tantilla won; Glenwood Jr. second; State of Maine third. Best time, 2.31 1-4.

2.21 pace; purse $300. Sunshine won; Invoice second; Calshot third. Best time, 2.19 1-4.

TWIN SULLIVAN WON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Mass., Oct. 2—Jack (Twin) Sullivan defeated Tom Carey of New York, in the seventh round of what was scheduled to be a 15 round bout before the Fall River Athletic association last night.

BOARD OF HEALTH

WILL ACT ON MAPLE STREET MATTER.

Mayor Howe is of the opinion that the protest against the establishment of a tar macadam plant on Maple stree is a matter that concerns the board of health rather than the mayor's office.

His Honor said yesterday: "A representative of the petitioners has detailed to be the reasons why the tar macadam plant should not be allowed to be placed so near dwelling houses. It is not a matter for me to act upon, all I have to do with the tar macadam people is to sign the contract. I have referred the petition to the board of health, who will probably take action of some kind upon it at their next meeting."

To reporters the same man said: "We made up the petition in advance so that the tar macadam people would not start them. We object to the plant because it is impossible to keep clothes that are hung out to dry clean with the black sooty smoke that fills the air when the cinder tar is burned. Another smoke comes through a sort of smoke stack and this is as bad for clothes or houses, and many of our houses have been recently painted."

60 NAMES

ADDED BY REGISTRARS AT YESTERDAY'S SESSION.

Sixty names were added to the voting lists yesterday, as follows: Ward one, 10; two, 6; three, 10, four, 6; five, 6; six, 5; seven, 5; eight, 3; nine, 9. Total 60.

GREAT UNDERTAKING

ATTEMPT TO HARNESS THE VICTORIA FALLS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 2.—Sir Charles Metcalf, the well-known railroad builder in South Africa, and I. F. Jones, C. M. G., manager of the Chartered company, will sail on the Cunard Line steamer Campania next Saturday on an important mission to the United States. They intend to spend a month investigating the industrial and railroad methods in America and especially to examine the system by which the power of Niagara Falls is utilized. Immediately after their return the work will be commenced of harnessing the Victoria Falls on the Zambesie river in South Africa.

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FOR $12.50 EACH—Nine 9x12 Axminster Rugs, slightly imperfect, regular price $37.50.

WEST SECTION—GALLERY.

Special Sale in Fancy Goods Department

500 MEDALLION PLAQUES ONLY 10c EACH

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EAST SECTION—CENTRE AISLE.

Lining Silk At 49c Instead of $1

We received a lot of these silks from the manufacturer. The remnants and ends of fast black, heavy satins. Enough in most of them for a coat lining, at less than half the regular price.

PALMER STREET—RIGHT AISLE.

Fall and Winter Wear for Men

NIGHT SHIRTS—Made from domet flannel and outing cloth, full size, 60 inches long and as much wide, with military or coat collar, pearl buttons, etc., 50c, 75c and $1.00, according to the cloth and trimming.

50c UNDERWEAR—This year more than ever do we particularize this line. The best sort in Lowell for the price. Fleeced and Jersey ribbed, medium weight cashmere, in white and camel's hair. Shirts with ribbed bottom and cuffs. Drawers with finished seams, tapes, etc.

NECKWEAR—The best assortment of 50c Ties in Lowell. A strong statement but one we're sure of from hearsay. Our styles are exclusive, too, coming from the best makers of nobby neckwear. Four-in-Hands, Teeks, English Squares, Ascots, etc., in the new silks. See the gun metal effects, the Persian silks and the Axel weaves. ALL STYLES 50c.

EAST SECTION— LEFT AISLE.

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MERRIMACK STREET—BASEMENT.

Millinery Millinery

Besides our Sample Hats at half price and less, we offer today 100 Black Shirred Silk Hats, with velvet crowns, turban and pompadour shapes, regular price $2.00, only $1.19 EACH.

PALMER STREET—CENTRE AISLE.

Hair Pins

1000 Near Shell Hair Pins, in loop, square top and crinkled shapes, regular price 25c, only 15c A DOZEN.

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West Section—Right Aisle.

Muslin Underwear

FOR 98c—Plain Skirts with umbrella ruffle, three rows of tucks, five yards round, walking length.

FOR 75c—Cambric Skirts, trimmed with torchon lace insertion and ruffle.

FOR 25c—Corset Covers of cambric, round neck trimmings, with wide torchon lace and ribbon.

West Section—Gallery.

SIXTH REGIMENT

Won the Tri-Color Trophy

AT THE SHOOT AT WALNUT HILL

Lowell Men in the Sixth's Team

In the annual rifle competition of the Massachusetts state militia at Walnut hill yesterday the Tri-color trophy was won by a team from the Sixth regiment with a grand total of 1276 at both ranges. Their score at 500 yards was 663 and at 600 yards 613.

The First regiment, Heavy Artillery, team proved a close second, with a total of 1268, their score at 500 yards being 654 and at 600 yards 614.

The highest individual score was made by Private John W. Blake of Battery B, First regiment, Heavy Artillery, with a clean 50 at 500 yards and 43 at 600 yards, a total of 93.

The total scores were:

Sixth regiment	1276
First regiment	1268
Second regiment	1259
Naval Brigade	1206
First Corps cadets	1201
Eighth regiment	1174
Fifth regiment	1161
Ninth regiment	1046
Second Corps cadets	988

Co. C of the Sixth regiment was represented in the winning team by First Lieut. Gardner W. Pearson, Second Lieut. Kelsey, Sergt. Peterson and Private Flynn, while Capt. McNulty, Sergts. Worthen, Scott and Dickey and Corp. Black of Co. M were in the Ninth regiment team.

The scores made by C's men were: Lieut. Kelsey 48 at 500 yards and 38 at 600 yards, total 86; Private Flynn, 44 at 500 and 41 at 600 yards, total 85; Sergt. Peterson, 46 at 500 and 40 at 600 yards, total 86; Lieut. Pearson, 42 at 500 and 36 at 600, total 78.

Corp. Black of Co. M made the score of 85 for a total, 47 at 500 and 38 at 600 yards.

Up to yesterday there have been 10 distinguished marksmen at the local armory and the result of yesterday's shoot adds four if not five to this list, which is a very creditable showing.

The Ninth regimental shoot, in which Co. M of this city will participate, will be held at Walnut hill a week from today.

ACTIVE CAMPAIGN

RALLIES IN EVERY STATE IN THE UNION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 2—Party rallies in every state in the union under the personal direction of the officers and members of the executive committee of the Republican National League, reinforced by a heavy oratorical battery, area part of the plans for the campaign for the re-election of President Roosevelt considered at a conference of the representatives of that organization in session at the Auditorium annex yesterday.

It was proposed that the officers of the league shall make a tour of the country, conducting republican love feasts at every centre as the best means to bring about republican success. The first act of the executive committee upon convening yesterday morning was to send greetings to the nation's chief executive.

Committees were appointed and reports of officers heard. The time and place for the next convention of the organization were referred to a committee of five.

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5 stamps with 1 lb. 18c. Butterine.
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Best round steak	2 lbs. 25c
Best Sirloin steak	25c-30c lb.
Corned Beef . . 3c to 6c lb.	
Smoked Shoulders	9c. lb.
Best canned Tomatoes	3 for 25c.
Best canned Peas	8 for 25c.
Best canned Corn	10c.
Best canned Pears	12c.
Best Challenge Milk	3 for 25c.
Mince Meat	5c pkg.

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3 prints 50c.; tubs from 13c. lb. up.

CHOICE LINE OF TEAS

75c. best Oolong	50c. lb.
70c. best Formosa-Oolong	50c; 4 lbs. $1
80c. Golden Tips Assam	80c.; 4 lbs. $1.
50c. Orange Pekoe	25c.; 5 lbs. $1.
50c. English Breakfast	20c.; 7 lbs. $1.

Something New

Souvenir Postal Cards of Lowell

We have just received a splendid line of souvenir postal cards of Lowell. The complete set comprises 17 views and includes all our public buildings of note, interesting places, and five pictures of the South Lowell explosion. The cards may be purchased singly or in sets.

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AFTER FORGERS

1200 Torn Checks Found in House

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 2—Chief Postal Inspector W. W. Dickson is endeavoring to locate two daring forgers who are said to have realized thousands of dollars by altering checks.

These checks were originally part of the contents of a mail pouch, which disappeared about September 5, from a West bound express train on the Penna. railroad, between this city and Pittsburg.

It is stated that in their investigation, the post office inspectors discovered a stack of about 1200 torn checks in a New York lodging house. These checks, it is said were so marked that any raising of their amounts would be impossible without immediate detection.

The arrest of the individuals now under suspicion, the authorities intimate, will bring to light an astounding fraud, with ramifications extending through the entire eastern section of the country.

LADIES' NIGHT

OBSERVED BY MATHEW TEMPERANCE INSTITUTE.

The ladies' night held by the Mathew Temperance Institute at its hall at the corner of Central and Market streets last evening was an unprecedented success as a social function. Like all of the other sounds held by this organization the attendance was large and the crowd present was a select one. About 50 couples enjoyed dancing to the strains of popular music furnished by the Middlesex orchestra until midnight.

The decorations were pretty but were of very modest nature, and the picture of flowers about the stage, where the orchestra was stationed, mingled with the whirl of dancers, made a pretty scene.

The floor director was John Lyons, who was assisted by John Coughlin, with Owen Grimes, James Rourke and Henry Thomas as aids.

The Mathew Temperance Institute will hold a smoke talk at its hall next Tuesday evening. The arrangements for the smoke talk are being made by a committee consisting of William Quirk, John Lyons, James McGreevy, William Boyle, James Rourke, Dennis Sullivan and George Hunt. The literary committee of the society has charge of the program. This committee consists of John McKenna, John Murphy and John Townsend.

The preparations for the Peabody parade are progressing finely and interest in the event is at a high pitch.

OFFICERS APPOINTED

IN THE GIRLS' BATTALIONS AT THE HIGH SCHOOL.

The officers in the girls' battalions of the High school have been appointed as follows:

First battalion—Major, Elena Abbott; captains, Co. A, Ruth Bailey; Co. B, Millie Severance; Co. C, Anna Brown; Co. D, Pearl Woodward; first lieutenants, Co. A, Marion Bill; Co. B, Margaret Shanley; Co. C, Ruth Eaton; Co. D, Helen Whitcomb; second lieutenants, Co. A, Elizabeth Walsh; Co. B, Julia Wing; Co. C, Lou Hands; Co. D, Ethel Parker.

Second battalion—Major, Margaret Teague; captains, Co. A, Caroline Cooke; Co. B, Sophie White; Co. C, Myrtle Batchelder; Co. D, Blanche Atkinson; first lieutenants, Co. A, Helen Gegenheimer; Co. B, Florence Holgate; Co. C, Dora Sherburne; Co. D, Carrie Brown; second lieutenants, Co. A, Marion Faulkner; Co. B, Alice Hill; Co. C, Isabelle Wiggin; Co. D, May Ella Lowney.

MISSIONARY SOCIAL

AT THE Y. W. C. A. ROOMS LAST EVENING.

A successful missionary social was held last night at the rooms of the Y. W. C. A. The rooms were artistically decorated with autumn leaves and ferns. A very pleasing musical program was carried out.

The Chinese table was managed by Miss Daisy MacIlrayne, assisted by Miss Metcalf and Miss Perley.

The Japanese table was looked after by Miss Russell, assisted by Miss Flemings and Miss Hoole.

The Central America room was under the charge of Miss Shepard and Miss Floyd.

The Indian room—Mrs. Moore, assisted by her daughters, Misses Lillian and Hetta, and her son, Arnold.

Misses Bennett and Rutherford had charge of the home department. At the close a poem was given by Miss Augusta Lord.

$250,000 ATTACHMENT

PLACED ON HOUSEHOLD SEWING MACHINE COMPANY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 2—An attachment of $250,000 was placed on the Household Sewing Machine Co. of this city yesterday by the trustees of the estate of William J. King.

The management of the company was changed about three months ago, New York parties acquiring a majority of the stock. At that time William D. Bean, was elected president and general manager and Garrett D. Cooper, treasurer. These men were said to be backed by Frank H. and William Cooper. William H. Cooper is vice-president of the Siegel-Cooper Co. of New York.

Edwards and Angell, who represent the trustees, state that the attachment was to cover a series of promissory notes aggregating $243,000, the first of which was for $40,000, and fell due yesterday. The King heirs controlled the stock of the company previous to the change three months ago.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Eirene lodge, I. O. G. T., held its regular meeting last evening with a very good attendance. After the regular business the following good of the order was given:

Piano solo, Myra White; duet, Misses Hands and Judd; remarks, Bro. Sutcliffe; reading, Sister Smith; solo, Sister Judd; remarks, Bro. Tilton; reading, Bro. Scott; remarks, Sister Lester; piano solo, Ivy L. Hands; remarks, Bro. McLean; reading, Sister Tilton.

At a regular campfire meeting of Post 120, G. A. R., last evening, it was voted to hold a series of whist parties this winter. The evening's entertainment consisted of reminiscences by different members.

Miss Grace Melhot wishes to announce to the ladies that her millinery opening will take place Friday and Saturday of this week at Associate Building, Room 5.

CUT HIS THROAT

Insane Man Committed Suicide

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW MILFORD, Conn., Oct. 2—Sylvester Yankel, 37 years of age, who has caused considerable excitement in this town during the week, succeeded in ending his own life last night after a desperate struggle with an officer who was watching him to see that he did not injure himself. In the town court yesterday morning Yankel was adjudged insane and he was placed in charge of Bruce Nearing, a constable, until arrangement could be made to send him to an insane asylum.

While at the supper table in Nearing's house last night Yankel seized a carving knife and stabbed himself in the throat twice. Nearing grappled with the insane man to prevent him doing further injury to himself, but the wounds were fatal and the man died a few moments later. Yankel's insanity is believed to have been caused by his hermit-life and insufficient nourishment, he having lived alone for 15 years past.

An Expert Druggist's Opinion

Mr. Milton C. Brigham, a prominent druggist of Natick, Mass., states, after having used Uri-cene, the new Rheumatism Cure: "Without exaggeration I consider Uri-cene far superior to any Rheumatic Remedy, imported or domestic, for neutralizing uric acid. I am constantly using it, and am receiving much benefit."

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FLYNN'S MARKET 137 GORHAM ST

CELEBRATION OVER

CHICAGO HAD A BANQUET FOR MAYORS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 2—A banquet to the visiting mayors and a concert by the Marine band, followed by a public gathering at the Auditorium theatre, last night at which Mayor Seth Low of New York was the principal speaker, brought the centennial celebration to a close, with the exception of the fireworks display, which will be given tonight.

At 3 o'clock the mayors of a score of cities sat down to a banquet in their honor attended by more than 400 citizens of Chicago. At 7.30 the U. S. Marine band of Washington began a concert in the auditorium theatre and one hour later the banqueters took seats on the platform to listen to Mayor Low's speech upon "Civic Federation."

Mayor Low was introduced by Mayor Carter Harrison, of Chicago and received a warm reception.

Previous to the banquet the mayors held a reception in the Auditorium hotel.

Joseph Jefferson, the veteran actor, read an original poem to the banqueters.

Sir Thomas Lipton was expected to be present at the banquet, but his doctor advised against it.

GOOD RACING

WITNESSED AT BRATTLEBORO FAIR YESTERDAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., Oct. 2—With a record breaking attendance of nearly 20,000 people, the 18th annual valley fair closed yesterday. All the racing events were run off in good shape, the 2.17 class alone being unfinished. Summary:

2.17 trot or pace, purse $600, won by Carrie K., bm (Whitney, Lebanon, N. H.); Frank B., g (Ralph, Schenectady, N. Y.), second; Aristocrat, blk g (Mayo, Littleton, Mass.), third. Time, 2.13, 2.13½, 2.16½, 2.17.

2.20 trot or pace, purse $500, won by Fredma Deane, bm (O'Neil, Lexington, Mass.); Helen R., bm (Hayes, Westfield), second; Kit Murphy, bm (Gale, Brattleboro, Vt.), third. Time, 2.23¼, 2.24½, 2.23¼.

2.17 trot or pace, purse $400 (unfinished), Lady Laurin, bm (Smith Bros., Barre, Vt.), won first heat; Kitty Wilkes, bm (Chickering, Westmoreland, N. H.), second and third; the Governess, bm (Bailey, Medford, Mass.), fourth and fifth. Time, 2.20¼, 2.22, 2.21¼, 2.21, 2.22.

Running race, half mile, won by Ashbrook, bg (Farnsworth, Rutland, Vt.); Walzer, bg (Russell, Keene, N. H.), second; Marcus Aurelius, bx (Langley, Putney, Vt.), third. Time, 54¼.

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The Sobel Hirshfield Co., of 28 and 30 Waverly Place, New York, having dissolved partnership, have decided to accept a spot cash offer from us for their entire stock of Boys' and Children's Suits and Overcoats. The entire lot of fine garments will be placed on sale today and tomorrow at one-third less than the manufacturers' cost of making. See our window display. Come and let us show you the goods.

SOBEL HIRSHFIELD STOCK OF BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS

Boys' Heavy Blue Cheviot Norfolk Suits, the S. H. & Co's price, $1.50, sale **98c**

One lot of Boys' Double Breasted Heavy Reefers, S. H. & Co's price, $1.40, sale **99c**

Children's Handsome Zibiline Cloth Overcoats, handsomely trimmed and all the newest shades, S. H. & Co's price, $6.00, sale **$3.48**

One lot of Children's Dark Neat Stripe Norfolk Suits, sizes to 16, S. H. & Co's price, $2.75, sale **$1.98**

One lot of Boys' Blouse Suits, Heavy Dark Blue Flannel, about 50 Suits in this lot, S. H. & Co's price, $1.50, sale **95c**

Children's Norfolk Suits in neat dark all wool mixtures, S. H. & Co's price, $4.00, sale **$2.98**

Several styles of Sailor Suits, including all the newest patterns, also Blue Serges. These suits are all beautifully tailored and ridiculously low prices, S. H. & Co's price, $4.50, sale **$2.50**

One lot of Boys' Fall Top Coats, sizes 5 to 16. They include all the finest grades of Covert Cloth, both in dark and medium shades, S. H. & Co's prices, $6.50, sale **$2.50**

One lot of Boys' Plain Double Breasted Suits in Heavy Dark Blue, Black Worsteds and Cheviots, S. H. & Co's price, $4.00, sale **$3.50**

300 Boys' 3 piece Suits, sizes 8 to 17 years, Dark Mixtures, Stripes and Checks, also Black Clays and Heavy Blue Serges, S. H. & Co's price, $4.00 and $4.50, sale **$2.50 and $3**

One lot of large size Boys' Double Breasted Suits, sizes up to 17, goods of fine quality Cheviots, S. H. & Co's price, $4.50, sale **$3.50**

One lot of Children's Suits, sizes 4 to 8. Some Norfolks and some Double Breast, from 1 to 3 suits of a pattern and worth up to $5.00. Your choice in this lot, **$1.25**

Men's Fall Suits

The correct patterns this season are Fancy Cheviots and Worsteds in the new Overplaids and Fancy Mixtures. We have them in an endless variety of patterns at *$10.00*

3 styles of Men's Strictly Overplaid Suits, a very handsome pattern as a special leader. Sizes up to 44 breast at *$7.50*

Men's Fall Suits

At $12.00. These suits are all Hand Tailored and Union Made. They are cloths of quality, shapely shoulders, narrow collars and lapels and they contain every good quality known to the tailoring art, at the most moderate prices *$12.00*

Men's Fall Suits and Top Coats

We have lots to show you that's new in suits and top coats, trousers, hats and haberdashery, but if you come in for a look, the new things will tell their own story and you'll find it very interesting.

Men's handsome black Thibet and undressed Worsted Suits. All hand tailored and Union-Made. These suits are equal to the very finest tailoring, only *$12 and $15*

MEN'S TOP COATS

In all the prevailing lengths and shades of Coverts, Venetians and Dark Mixed Oxford Worsteds, at prices ranging from *$7.50 to $18*

Fall Opening of Ladies' Cloaks, Suits and Furs

SEVENTH SEASON

of the most popular Cloak and Suit Store in Lowell. We cordially invite the Ladies of Lowell and vicinity to visit our Cloak, Suit and Fur Department and inspect the finest line of up-to-date styles and the newest and most fashionable fabrics that have been seen in the city. A beautiful collection of the prettiest creations that the very best manufacturers can possibly produce. THEO. G. DRIVER, Manager Cloak Dept.

Our Shoe Department is a Wonder

This week we have surprised ourselves in the enormous values we have bought and shall place on sale today and tomorrow. We shall enumerate but a few and ask you to call and let us show you hundreds more.

Men's Patent Corona Colt Skin; guaranteed in the latest last in lace and button. Hand Sewed. Worth $3.50, at **2.48**

Men's Hand Sewed Calf, Box Calf, Vici Kid and Patent leather shoes, all $3.00 goods, at **1.98**

Child's Kid Button. Sizes, 2 to 5, only **17c**

Men's $2.00 Shoes, in several different styles, to close out at **1.49**

Ladies' fine $3.00 Vici Kid, Patent Colt and Dongola Lace Shoes. Great value, **1.98**

Child's Kid Button, worth 50c, Sizes, 6, 7 and 8, **25c**

Ladies' Box Calf Lace, worth $2.00. Only a few, **1.25**

Ladies' Felt Slippers, worth 75c, only **49c**

Child's Box Calf Lace Shoes, Sizes, 5 to 8, **49c**

Boys' Oil Grain, Seamless, Shoes, worth $1.50. Sizes, 13 to 2. **98c**

Misses' School Shoes of the best Box Calf, double sole. The "Old School House" Shoe, worth $1.50, **98c**

Little Gent's Seamless Shoe up to 13 1-2 Heel or sp. Heel. Warranted, **98c**

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1000 Pairs of Ladies' 50c Storm Rubbers 39c
700 Pairs Men's 75c Rubbers 49c
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INSANE CHARGES

Lowell's List Has Increased Greatly

That the number of insane in Lowell is greatly increased is evidenced by the fact that the expense to the city for insane patients for the past three months exceeds any like bill in the past. There are 53 Lowell patients at the Worcester insane asylum and the bill against the city for their care for three months is $2270.95, or about $3.69 per week for each case. The largest previous amount was about $1800.

In addition to the insane in Worcester Medfield has 35 Lowell insane patients, Westboro has 20, Taunton 9, while Northampton has several. Altogether Lowell has over 100 patients in the various insane asylums.

Secretary Courtney of the pauper department states that the great increase came during the spring months. He does not know to what to attribute this wonderful increase.

Dr. Simpson of the Lowell hospital, when informed of Secretary Courtney's statement regarding the increase in insanity during the spring months, said:

"I should naturally think that the spring months would be the ones for much insanity, if any particular part of the year was to show up many. That is due, of course, to the depressed spirits of many persons after having spent a hard winter. Cold weather, lack of food, lack of exercise and many other causes are contributory to insanity."

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HANNAH CRAIG

Saw First Train of Cars to Enter This City

In the town of Rumney, N. H., a former Lowell woman has just passed her 88th birthday. The following story of the event and brief sketch of her life is from the Manchester Union of today:

This town has a family of four generations, which is one of the best known families in Rumney. The head of this family, Mrs. Hannah (Ramsay) Craig, is the oldest woman in town, having just passed her 88th birthday, and she resides with her daughter, Mrs. William S. Learned, having made her home there since the death of her husband, in 1882.

Mrs. Craig was born in Rumney, July 25, 1815, and with the exception of a short time, when she worked in Lowell, as a weaver in one of the mills, in her younger days, she has always resided in Rumney. Aug. 8, 1836, she married Amos H. Craig, a native of this town, and they had three children, all of whom are now living in Rumney. They are C. C. Craig, who is a merchant at Quincy, a postoffice in the town of Rumney; Mary, the wife of George M. Bickford, and Abbie, the wife of William S. Learned.

In 1842, Mrs. Craig joined the Baptist church, and has missed but one yearly roll-call. She is remarkably well-preserved for one of her advanced age, enjoys good health and even reads the daily papers with the aid of glasses. She was in Lowell, Mass., July 4, 1855, and was an eye witness to the arrival of the first train of cars to enter that city. She is in good health, and bids fair to reach the century mark. Her family consists of three children, six grandchildren, and nine great-grandchildren.

The three others to make up the four generations are Charles C. Craig, Mrs. Ethel (Perkins) Boswell, his daughter, and Alice M. Boswell, her daughter.

LOBSTER CLUB

Annual Outing Was Held Yesterday

The annual outing of the Lobster club was held at Joe Mercier's, on the banks of Lake Mascupple, yesterday afternoon, and proved to be the most successful outing ever conducted by this club. The club consists mainly of politicians who reside in Centralville, but strange to say there was no booming of candidates at yesterday's affair and the speeches that were given were informal and did not treat on the political side of life.

Dan Collins had charge of the clambake, which was the principal attraction. The clam together with the corn, chicken, blue fish, onions, lobsters and other edibles were cooked in the open and cheer after cheer was given the chef for his fine work. There was plenty to eat, and everyone who sat down to the tables, which were laid in a large open field in the rear of Mercier's hotel, had their fill.

Sports of different kinds were enjoyed during the afternoon, and in the evening the party repaired to Mercier's hotel where a fine musical and literary program was carried out. E. A. Wilson was the chief lobster, while "Bill" Patten was designated as the short lobster. Thomas Carrick and Chester Mercier attended to the wants of the party and kept the table well stocked all the time. Laforest Beals was also very much in evidence and did his share of the work.

LOCAL MEN

WHO PARADED WITH THE ANCIENTS TODAY.

Seven Lowell men and one from Billerica paraded with the Ancients, being members of the organization. They are Mayor Howe, who will be left guide in the Veteran company; George Fairburn, Dr. A. E. A. McCann, Congressman Butler Ames, D. Thomas Wallis, Charles Richardson and Col. Warren Norcross of Lowell and Major Thomas Talbot of Billerica.

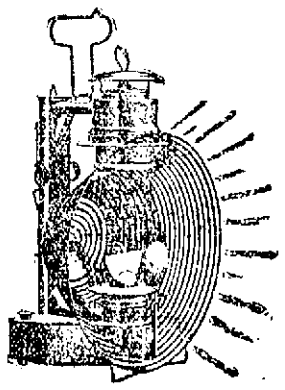
FLORAL FESTIVAL

SECOND NIGHT OF THE C. M. A. C. FETE.

The second night of the floral festival under the auspices of the C. M. A. C. in their hall in Pawtucket street proved to be more of a success than the opening night. The attendance was much larger and the tables did a good business.

In the upper hall Prof. Van de Wiele's athletes gave a fine gymnastic exhibition, while minstrel songs were sung by Mr. Lucien Paradis and Alfred Bilbeault, Jr.

Dancers! Attention! Good music at Huntington hall tonight.



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MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Fred L. Ashworth of Boston and Miss Minnie E. Parker were married at the home of the bride's parents in Billerica Thursday afternoon. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. Smith Thomas Ford, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist church of Lowell. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion. The couple were unattended.

LIVINGSTON—NICKERSON.

At the residence of Rev. C. L. Pierce of the North Tewksbury church, Wednesday afternoon, Mr. Frank W. Livingston and Miss Augusta May Nickerson, both of North Andover, were united in marriage.

Masters Robert Rawlinson and Arthur Smith, both of Butterfield street, have entered the Highland Military college at Worcester, where they will pursue a three years' course.

Catarrh for twenty years and cured in a few days.—Hon. George James, of Scranton, Pa., says: "I have been a martyr to Catarrh for 20 years, constant hawking, dropping in the throat and pain in the head, very offensive breath. I tried Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. The first application gave instant relief. After using a few bottles I was cured. Sold by Falls & Burkinshaw.—1.

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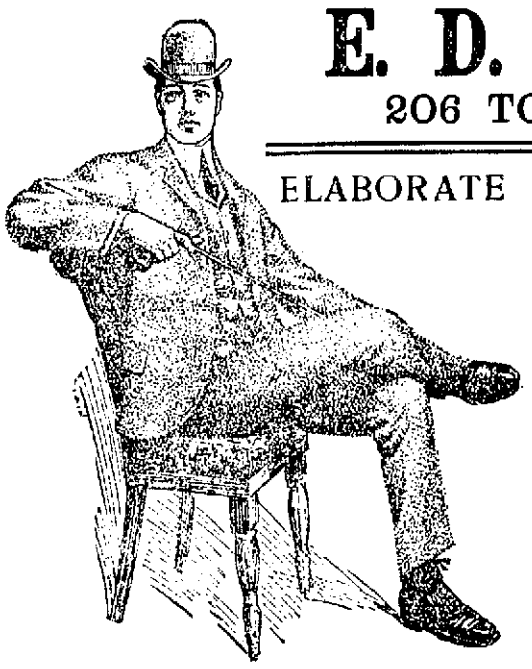

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We have the Long Skirted Blouse Suit, made of fancy fabrics, broadcloths, Venetians and cheviots in all colors. No cheap tailored ladies' suits in our store. Here you will see style and moderate prices from

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Boys' Dept.

We look out for the little fellow with clothes for hard usage, fine fit and a large stock. Everything in Norfolk, Sailor, 2 and 3 Piece Suits, Overcoats and Reefers. A little money will keep him well dressed here. Prices from

$2 to $7.50

Men's Overcoat Dept.

We excel this season in the fine stock as well as the high grade of tailoring in our Overcoats. You will find here kerseys, meltons, friezes and all the latest fancy fabrics. We want you to call and see the best line ever shown in Lowell. Prices from

$7.50 to $25

Ladies' Coat Dept.

The Box Coat from 36 to 42 inches in length will certainly have the call this season. We have also the Corslet, half tight fitting and all the nobbiest and newest effects. You will be obliged to look outside of Lowell for a finer line. We fit your purse from

$5 to $25

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ALMOST LYNCHED

Man Was Strung Up Three Times

By Associated Press to The Sun

OXFORD, Ohio, Oct. 2—Five men were seriously injured and one narrowly escaped lynching several times as the result of last night's riot at this place.

Those injured are:

John Woodruff, marshal of Oxford, believed to be fatally shot.

Jacob Manrod, deputy marshal, shot in the back and in the shoulder, condition serious.

Ernest Jettin, a country teacher of Monroe, Ohio, believed to be fatally shot in the abdomen.

Louis Spivey, of Wagonville, Ky., shot in the back and breast, serious.

Joseph Spivey, Wagonville, Ky., skull fractured by stone.

The Spivey brothers were visiting Edward Richardson of Billingsville, Ind., just across the state line from Oxford. The three came here to attend the annual fair and farmers exposition. The town was filled with strangers when three men began carousing in a saloon. They pulled their revolver on the bartender who ejected them and then proceeded to raise more trouble in other saloons. When Marshal Woodruff undertook to arrest them he was mortally shot. A fusilade of bullets in the crowded streets followed the shooting of the marshal. Deputy Marshal Manrod was shot twice when he took the place of his chief. During the fusilade in the street, Ernest Jettin, while returning from his school to his boarding house, was struck in the abdomen by a stray bullet and he is now in a critical condition.

After the shooting the three men ran in different directions, with crowds after each one and each was hit in the head with stones thrown by those pursuing them. Louis Spivey was shot by a citizen. The three men were finally lodged in jail. Richardson was later released.

Soon afterwards crowds concentrated about the jail and battering down the door took Joseph Spivey out to lynch him. He was hauled from place to place with a rope about his neck and was swung up three different times, yet escaped with his life. In their haste the mob did not pinion his arms or his legs and he managed to use them so as to prevent strangulation the first time he was hanged. At another time he was let down so that he might write a farewell letter to his wife and children and at another time some one cut the rope. Finally the officers rescued the man and rushed him off to the city prison, where the mob was held at bay.

Speeches were made by ex-Mayor Flaugan, Rev. Dr. Thomas J. Potter and the brother of Marshal Woodruff. Meantime the officers spirited the Spivey brothers away to the Butler county jail at Hamilton, Ohio, a distance of 15 miles. The mob later dispersed.

A striking feature of the attempted lynching last night was the part taken by negroes, who protested every time the rope was slackened and Joseph Spivey was let down to say his prayers with his wife and children, or for any other purpose of mercy. Some of the negroes raised a disturbance, proclaiming that if the man had been a negro he would surely have been lynched. The mob was without a leader at any time, but still it probably would not have been foiled but for the appearance of Woodruff's brother to let the law take its course.

DEATHS

STOTT—Edith N. Stott, aged 4 months, died yesterday at the home of her parents, John D. and Alfreda Stott, 51 Wilson street, Billerica.

KIMBALL—Undertaker Ela received a telegram yesterday afternoon notifying him of the death of Mrs. Lydia S. Kimball, a former Lowell resident, who passed away at Los Angeles, California. The body will arrive in this city sometime today.

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MEN'S WINTER OVERCOATS

Ordinarily the price quotations in this ad. would strain your credulity. But here is the story in a nutshell: When the stock of our predecessors was turned over to us there remained about 875 Winter Overcoats, mostly the productions of such makers as B. Kuppenheimer & Co., Chicago; Thompson-Snow Co., manufacturers of only standard clothing. As it was too early in the season we did not have many of these overcoats on sale during our recent "sale." We will place these overcoats on sale this morning, for a quick disposal of them, at the same ratio that we bought them for from the former concern, which is nearly

50 cts. on the Dollar

If you want a good, fashionable Winter Overcoat for the coming season at LOWER COST THAN YOU COULD BUY THE BARE MATERIALS, SEE OUR GRAND OFFERINGS.

The $7.50 quality for $4.95
The $9.00 quality for $5.95
The $10.00 quality for $6.95
The $13.50 quality for $7.75
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The $18.00 quality for $11.95
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The $23 and $25 quality for $14.75

The lines are not complete, but you'll find a good selection from the combined lot. Please come early. There will be active trading.

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now, mark you, if the judge puts a stop to hatching eggs within the city limits, he not only cripples an infant industry and handicaps the republican party, but is guilty of lese majeste, as well."

A trim little hen with a full neck and sloping shoulders butted in at this point to remark: "Well, the judge has been working for a good many years, and probably has a good little nest egg of his own by this time."

Then they all cackled at once. It was cickle cackle here and cickle cickle there, and everywhere a cackle, cickle, cickle, cackle.

"What does the judge care," said the trim little hen, "he hasn't got to scratch for a living."

"Is that so? Well no one ever accused him of feathering his nest."

The Rooster—"Yes, he's won his spurs."

The Rabble—"How did he do it?"

The Rooster—"Sitting on the bench."

The Rabble—"Do all old hens look alike to him?"

The Rooster—"No, I heard him say once that some of them had gone stale, and he knew that fine feathers didn't make fine birds."

JUDGE HADLEY A BIRD.

The youngest hen in the party—"I heard a lawyer say the judge was a bird."

The rooster—"Yes, but he doesn't try to fly high, and that's more than some of the lawyers can say."

The rabble "Why do young lawyers come higher than old ones?"

The rooster—"Because they're fresh."

The oldest hen in the bunch—"Ain't you getting away from the object of the meeting?"

The rooster—"The chair awaits the pleasure of the meeting."

The youngest hen again—"Now wouldn't that stick in your crop?"

Rabble—"Move we adjourn for one week."

The rooster—"It's a vote and may they not hatch up any new devilry till then."

And thus the meeting adjourned, but the old hens and young hens and the roosters did not immediately fly back to their respective roosts. They divided up into parties and cackled about the injustice of the court. By an informal vote it was decided that the ordinance which gave the city council the right to say if they should live within the city limits had been repealed by the delegation of the power to the board of health and a vote of thanks was tendered Agent Knapp for his words in behalf of the feathered tribe.

A BURLESQUE.

There was a deal of talking on the way home. Some of the very old hens expressed the opinion that the indignation meeting has been burlesqued and that what was said did not represent the sense of the meeting. This old hen was in low-neck and she more than "knocked" Judge Hadley and Jerome Manning. She was one of Moses' six and she thought that would help some. After scoring everybody that had anything to do with the relegation of city hens to the woods she struck a sympathetic mod and wept, not for herself or the other five in her coop, but for the hens that had no Moses. "What will ye do, poor children," she sobbed, "with no Moses to lead you out of the land of bondage. Me and me little family have a Moses who, if the occasion requires it, will lead us out of the wilderness. My Moses is not only familiar with the land, but he is also an expert on fire and water." The old hen was in the height of a semi-hysterical turn when the alarm rung in from box 13 and a chorus of voices cackled: "Bad luck! Bad luck!"

"They do tell," remarked an old sidewheel rooster that joined the ranks of the indignant old hens as they left the common, "that this man George Brown grabs on to everything that isn't licensed. I have a scheme. Let's all foregather in one large coop, and hang out a no-license sign. While the sign is being hung out I will step 'round the corner and get a quart of whiskey. We'll put the whiskey in plain view of passersby and lock the coop securely. Brown can't get in to get the whiskey, but rather than suffer defeat, he will take us all to the police station——"

"Hold there," said Mr. Redcomb, seconded by Miss Fluffybreast, "such action would but add insult to injury. You would establish a police record, would you?"

"Only that by so doing," humbly replied the old side-wheeler, "we might be convicted of illegal keeping and sent to the stone house on the hill instead of to the country."

A committee of five was appointed to consider the advisability of sidewheel's scheme with instructions to report at the indignation meeting to be held this afternoon.

ADAMS IS CITE.

One pretty little pullet with a well moulded and beautifully curved beak stepped shyly to the front, after the committee had been instructed to report, and, after wiping her feet on the rubber mat she dashed a tear from her eye and spoke thusly: "I-er-er have a friend whose name is Cecil I. Adams. He's just the cutest little thing that ever happened and he's head and ears in politics. He has made lots of laws at city hall and I think if I should wait upon him, in person, I could persuade the dear boy to frame a law that would fit our case. It someway seems to me that we will not have to go to the country. I'm sure Cecil will not let me go."

Mr. Redcomb heard this little speech with ill-concealed dissatisfaction. "We will have nothing to do with Mr. Adams. He's a pooh-pooh politician and he hasn't influence enough to have the smallest hencoop in Lowell turned end for end."

The pretty little pullet heard Redcomb's hot words with tears in her wild eyes. "I'll still be true to Cecil," she said, as she sauntered down the lane toward Moses' house.

"Appeal to Mayor Howe!" said an old hen whose eyebrows had turned to blisters, "he's ancient and honorable."

Suggestion upon suggestion was made but with the exception of appointing a committee to report on old sidewheel's motion, no definite action was taken.

Tears and shakes were exchanged and the city birds, when the bright September sun was sinking to rest in the glowing horizon, returned to their coops and imparted the news of the meeting to their tender broods. It was a sad day for the city hens and the man who depends upon the crow of the rooster while others await the signal of an alarm clock, will undoubtedly look upon Judge Hadley's ruling with disfavor.

SEEN AND HEARD

A stranger called at a local bank the other day and presented a check for which he wanted the equivalent in cash.

"Have to be identified," said the clerk.

The stranger took a bunch of letters from his pocket all addressed to the same name as that on the check.

The clerk shook his head.

The stranger took out his pocket-handkerchief and showed the same name in indelible ink.

Clerk looked bored.

The man thought a moment and pulled out his watch which bore his name on the inside cover.

Clerk hardly glanced at it.

The man dug into his pockets and found one of those "If-I-should-die-tonight-please-notify-my-wife" cards and called the clerk's attention to the description, which fitted to a T.

But the clerk was still obdurate.

"Those things don't prove anything," he said, "we've got to have the word of a man that we know."

"But, good heavens, man, I've given you an identification that would convict me of murder in any court in the land!"

"That's probably very true," responded the clerk patiently, "but in matters connected with the bank we have to be more careful."

There were four or five men at the street corner discussing the financial question, when a poorly dressed woman halted before them and, singling out a particular man who had been especially vociferous in the advocacy of his pet views, she said:

"I am a poor but respectable and hard-working woman. Could you let me have money to buy a pair of shoes with?"

"Do you really need 'em?" he inquired, in turn.

"Very badly, sir; and I shall never forget your kindness if you aid me."

"Well, here it is," he said.

"Thanks, kind sir, and may heaven bless you."

When she had gone away one of the group said:

"She was mighty cheeky."

"Brassiest thing I've seen in a year."

"Do you know her, Bill?" inquired a third of the man who had opened his purse.

"Y-e-s; more or less. We've been married about twenty-five years, and when I don't give her cash she takes this way of faking me. I rather like it. I get the credit of being very charitable and she gets the cash."

$2.00 TO NORTH ADAMS

in the Hoosac Mountains, Saturday, October 10th.

Already the autumn foliage has commenced to appear and the fresh atmosphere of October makes one long for another short respite from work. This is the season of the year when the mountains are more beautiful than ever, and the Hoosac Mountains in western Massachusetts are a grand sight at just this season. The weather is suitable for tramping through the mountains exploring the Deerfield valley or taking a trolley to many interesting places nearby.

The Boston & Maine excursion to North Adams on Saturday, Oct. 10th, gives the excursionists an opportunity to take in all the beauties of an Indian summer in the Hoosac Mountains and to enjoy the health giving tramp or ride through this noted region.

The round trip rate from Boston is only $2.00. Any person desiring can, upon showing their excursion ticket and payment of fifty cents at the Hoosac Tunnel station, procure a round trip ticket to Wilmington, Vt., on the narrow gauge railroad, "the Hoosac Tunnel and Wilmington."

A first-class dinner can be procured at the "Child's Tavern," Wilmington, and the ride is through the prettiest portion of upper "Deerfield Valley." Tickets are on sale at city ticket office, 322 Washington street, and the Union station. Special train will leave Boston at 8.20 a. m., for Hoosac Tunnel and North Adams; returning, leave North Adams at 4.30 p. m. Train will stop at Waltham in both directions, but tickets will be on sale only at Boston. Tickets are also good returning on regular trains on October 11th and 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Lewis gave a reception last evening at their home, No. 77 South Loring street, in honor of the marriage of Edith Lovejoy Corey of Worcester to their son, Irving Chester Lewis of Arlington.

FUNERALS

BROOKS—The remains of Charles Brooks, formerly of this city, reached here from Worcester yesterday and were interred in the family lot in the Edson cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker C. M. Young.

GORMLEY—All that was mortal of the late Patrick Gormley was laid to rest yesterday afternoon in the family burial lot in the Catholic cemetery, the funeral taking place from the home of his daughter, Mrs. John J. Mahoney, 33 Bowers street, and was largely attended by sorrowing friends and relatives. There was a profusion of floral offerings. The following close friends acted as bearers: Michael J. Mahoney, Humphrey O'Sullivan, Simon Flynn and John Saunders. At the grave Rev. Timothy T. Callahan of St. Patrick's church read the committal prayers. The interment was under the direction of Undertaker O'Donnell & Sons.

IF NOT ENGAGED.

Don't forget the social by the Norfolk club at Huntington hall, Tuesday evening. Kittredge's singing orchestra will furnish the music. The concert alone will be worth the price of admission. Tickets 25 cents.

RUGS

In the new fall designs of carpet sizes are many reproductions of foreign rugs.

The Axminster and Wilton fabrics especially bring out the rich, beautiful colorings seen in the Oriental rug. The carpet size of Brussels, Wilton and Axminster rugs are priced from

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THE Merrimack CLOTHING COMPANY

Fine Clothes for Men

There's been a marked improvement in Merrimack Clothes this season.

Each season naturally shows some improvement in making—but this advance this season is of a marked character—and deserves special mention.

Greater Creative Genius in style designing. More careful and expert tailoring than thus far known are responsible for this great advance in the high grade ready made Clothes of the Merrimack.

The bettering of our finest grades means the bettering of the medium and lower prices—the Standard of value is the same here whether you pay $10, or $25 for a suit—you get the utmost that the money will buy.

When you consider the very high character of Merrimack Clothes, always improving—the fair prices asked, and the splendid store service, do you wonder that thinking men and the stylish dressers wear the Merrimack hanger on their coat collars?

No better time than this week to point out the improvements in Merrimack Clothing—there's good choosing now.

Fall Suits

Hand Tailored

More good suits sold last Saturday than on any previous Saturday at this time of year.

Same story all this week—the weather is perfect for autumn, and prompts buying the new garments.

Of course, the stock has had something to do with it—we've never shown so many worthy suits—such a well assorted stock nor so well-tailored garments as this season.

Ten dollars secures a good suit choice—it's the lowest point we touch, and means all wool or wool and worsted fabrics, good making and trimming—honest suits.

Black Thibets, Worsted Cheviots, and a number of styles of fancy mixtures to choose from.

A good choice of fancies at $12.00. Worsteds, Cassimeres and Worsted Cheviots, including Shuman's dependable make.

This store is identified with $15.00 suits for men—that is, the best $15.00 suits—the hand finished garments.

More and better styles this season than ever—in Black Thibets, Worsted Cheviots and twenty styles of fancies—in singles and double breasted sacks.

The line at $18, $20, $22, $23, $25 and $28 reflect careful selection, and the finest "four" tailoring—it's the slickest clothing, all things considered, ever seen in this store, or any other store.

Fall Top Coats

Ready For Your Wearing

It's splendid top coat weather. The man who thinks he can bluff it through until winter overcoat time, is taking chances with his health.

Top coat styles are same now as next spring; you'll get nothing by waiting; they'll be no cheaper; the tendency is upward.

There's no better time to buy a top coat than now—and no better place than here.

$10 buys a good top coat of double-and-twist covert cloth, in a grayish coloring, excellently tailored.

Shuman and "Eff-Ell" Top Coats at $15—serviceable Thibet.

A new Top Coat at $12 comes in an olive shade of covert, and is cut 31 inches long—and very boxy.

Elegant Top Coats at $20—in covert cloths and velvety Venetians, hand tailored, including the silk lined coats that were $25.

Fall Overcoats, in black and oxfords, plain or silk lined, 40 inches long, at $10 to $23.

Rain Coats, 52 inches long, in Oxford cheviots, black worsted cheviots, covert cloths and mixtures, $10 to $20.

Fall Hats

A leading metropolitan daily recently came out with a two-column editorial advising men to wear soft hats.

They argued that the soft hat set more easily and loosely on the head, allowing the blood to circulate freely through the veins of the scalp, the lack of which circulation, from wearing tight-fitting and hard hats, caused baldness.

The man who reads the article is pretty apt to try a soft hat for a change—especially if he finds his hair thinning on top.

No better time to try than now. The soft hat is particularly desirable for early fall wear.

Then, there are so many widely different shapes this season—the extremely broad brim or the close roll, very high or flattish crowns. There are shapes to suit every style and character of man.

The Vevoy and Reliable are two very fine hats, one a small shape, the other a wide brimmed, full crowned style. They're examples of very fine hat making. Price $3.00.

A couple of excellent shapes at $2.50, on the golf order; low crowns, flat brims, bound or raw edge.

A dozen styles at $2.00. Excellent shapes, in black and the new shades of cinnamon, nutria and azure.

The New Shirts

Two clever styles in fancy shirts came in this week. They're of the coat shirt variety. You put them on like your coat; a great advantage with stiff bosoms.

One has bosom and cuffs of fine quality imported madras, in cadet blue, with large polka dots woven in. The dots are in black, white and orange. The body of the shirt matches the shade of the bosom and cuffs, but is in plain color.

It's from our best shirt makers, and as pretty a style as we've ever shown. Price $3.

Another coat shirt is made of fine quality percales, with neat figures and stripes on grayish and bluish grounds, and is priced at $1.50.

The regular lines of fancy bosom shirts for fall are all here, including some new and effective designs in fine percales. $1.00 and $1.50.

Men's and Boys' Sweaters

First showing of the fall sweaters, in the corner window.

Quite an active demand the past week. It's none too early to choose well.

Looks like another gray season.. We couldn't get enough grays last year. We provided liberally this season—with sweaters and wescuts—for men and boys.

$2.00 buys a fine worsted sweater of good weight, in gray, blue, black, garnet and white.

$2.50 gets a little heavier sweater of fine worsted yarns—an excellent number.

The Sterling wescuts and sweaters cost $3.00, same price as last year, though they cost more. Boys' sizes for $2.50.

Heavy worsted, Shaker knit sweaters, in white and gray, at $1.00, $5.00 and $6.00.

A couple of fancy styles in French and block knitting, cost $4.00 and $5.00 each.

A splendid sweater for boys, a fine worsted, at $1.50.

Merrimack Clothing Company...

ACROSS FROM CITY HALL

COLLINS' BRAVES

Lost the First Game to the Pirates

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 2.—From a Boston standpoint the unexpected happened most decidedly in the opening game for the baseball supremacy of the United States between the champions of the National league and the American league pennant winners—the Pittsburgs and the Bostons—on the Huntington avenue grounds yesterday afternoon.

With the veteran and dependable "Cy" Young in the box, the pitcher who has twirled better ball than any pitcher the past three seasons, the adherents of the local team felt that victory would perch on their banner and backed this opinion most substantially, but the cards fell badly and the visitors gained a decided first inning victory. Young did not prove anything like the enigma that was expected, and the Pittsburg boys batted him with confidence and effect. Four runs were scored in the first inning, and this lead proved enough to win the game, for Boston could not equal this score during the matinee.

Opposed to the veteran Young was "Deacon" Phillippe, who pitched a magnificent game of ball and completely fooled the strong Boston batsmen. He struck out 10 of the locals' men, "Bucky" Freeman being the only one to escape this ignominy. He had everything in the category of the pitcher and his curves, slows and drops were completely baffling to the locals, Dougherty, the slugger of the Bostons, was completely at sea. Manager Collins was not seen at his best, and Lachance and Ferris were almost as puppets in the hands of the National league pitcher.

The locals seemed on edge, and did not play with that coolness and confidence to be expected in a series of this kind. In fact, the Pittsburgs could not have played with more confidence if they were playing on their own grounds.

Ferris and Criger were completely off key. Ferris missed a couple of grounders at critical stages, and Criger made a poor throw and missed a third strike, offences of which he has been rarely guilty in contests for the American league pennant.

After he had missed two chances in four innings, Ferris settled down and gave a glimpse of the kind of play that helped to make the Bostons pennant winners, but by that time the day was lost. The lead of four runs in the first inning was altogether too much to be overcome, and, while at one time it looked as if the locals would do well to score a run, they managed to make as many runs as did their opponents.

Boston was beaten, but that does not augur that the locals have not as good a chance as the National league champions for the series. There is no reason in the world why the locals should not show the speed of which they are capable in the game of today. They have shown again and again the speed of which they are capable, and, while Pittsburg showed magnificent speed yesterday the Boston club has played as good a game again and again.

Pittsburg excelled decidedly in the outfield and nothing could have been finer than the display Manager Clarke gave. He cut off chances for several runs by his superb running catches. Beaumont also distinguished himself by a great capture. Sebring did well in right, Ritchey at second and Bransfield at first. The score:

PITTSBURG.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Beaumont cf	5	1	0	3	0	0
Clarke lf	5	0	2	4	0	0
Leach 3b	5	1	4	0	1	0
Wagner ss	3	1	1	1	2	1
Bransfield 1b	5	2	1	7	0	0
Ritchey 2b	4	1	0	1	2	0
Sebring rf	5	1	3	1	0	0
Phelps c	4	0	1	10	0	0
Phillippe p	4	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	40	7	12	27	7	2

BOSTON.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Dougherty lf	4	0	0	1	1	0
Collins 3b	4	0	0	2	3	0
Stahl cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Freeman rf	4	2	2	2	0	0
Parent ss	4	1	2	4	4	0
Lachance 1b	4	0	0	8	0	0
Ferris 2b	3	0	1	2	4	2
Criger c	3	0	0	6	1	2
Young p	3	0	0	0	1	0
*O'Brien	1	0	0	0	0	0
**Farrell	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	3	6	27	14	4

*Batted for Criger in the ninth.
**Batted for Young in the ninth.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Pittsburg	4	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	—7
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	—3

Earned runs, Boston 2, Pittsburg 3. Three base hits, Freeman, Parent Leach 2, Bransfield. Home run, Sebring. Stolen bases, Wagner, Bransfield, Ritchey. First base on balls, off Young 3. Struck out, by Young 5, by Phillippe 10. Passed ball, Criger. Time, 1.55. Umpires, O'Day and Connolly. Attendance, 16,242.

Confessions of a Priest.

Rev. Jno. S. Cox of Wake, Ark., writes, "For 12 years I suffered from Yellow Jaundice. I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters and feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for 12 years." If you want a reliable medicine for Liver and Kidney trouble, stomach disorder or general debility, get Electric Bitters. It's guaranteed by F. C. Goodale, druggist. Only 50c.

MASON DEAD

WAS PROMINENT CITIZEN OF WEYMOUTH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WEYMOUTH, Mass., Oct. 2.—Frank H. Mason, one of the most prominent and widely known citizens of this city, died here yesterday after a short illness, aged 53 years. Mr. Mason was for many years treasurer of the Boyd-Corey shoe company of Marlboro, and also of the Marlboro Water company. At the time of his death he was chairman of the board of water commissioners of Weymouth and secretary and treasurer of the board of trustees of the Tufts public library.

WHOLESALE RAIDS

MADE ON BIDDEFORD DRUG STORES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BIDDEFORD, Me., Oct. 2.—Sheriff Fogg of Sanford and a force of seven deputies made wholesale raids among the drug stores yesterday. Within half an hour heavy seizures had been made at nine places.

CONSERVATIVES MEET

IN 38TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE AT SHEFFIELD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SHEFFIELD, Eng., Oct. 2—The 38th annual conference of the conservative associations opened here yesterday with unprecedented attendance, attracted by unusually interesting political situation. Nearly 2,000 delegates were present. The Earl of Derby presided in the absence of the Duke of Norfolk, who was indisposed.

In moving the adoption of the annual report, Mr. Low, M.P., chairman of the committee, deprecated the conference, expressing a decided opinion on the tariff question in behalf of the party until Joseph Chamberlain had fully explained his views.

Cheers greeted Mr. Chamberlain's name and the interruptions of Mr. Low's remarks soon made it manifest that there were grave differences of opinion on the fiscal question.

An official resolution on the subject of the fiscal controversy was moved by Sir John E. Dorington, M. P. The resolution, which deals solely with Premier Balfour's proposals, not touching on Mr. Chamberlain's was as follows:

"That this conference, believing that the changes which have taken place during the last fifty years in the conditions under which British trade has been carried on necessitate a reconsideration of the fiscal system, which we, as a nation, have adopted during that period, thanks the prime minister for having instituted an inquiry into the whole subject and welcomes the policy he has foreshadowed for securing to this country fiscal freedom in our negotiations and commercial relations with foreign countries."

It was agreed that no vote should be taken on the resolution until today, after Mr. Balfour's speech last night defining the attitude of the government.

MANY FINES

HAVE AROUSED RESIDENTS OF BELFAST, MAINE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BELFAST, Maine, Oct. 2.—Residents of North Belfast are panic-stricken because of several fires of apparent incendiary origin. The residences of Mrs. Oliver Chase and Mrs. Frank Emmons were burned during the night. The buildings were next the store and house of Postmaster Mitchell, which were burned early Tuesday morning. Mr. Mitchell was taken with varioloid Saturday and it was feared the disease would spread from his store or the post office.

SOCIAL DANCE

GIVEN BY NORTH CHELMSFORD BRASS BAND.

The North Chelmsford brass band opened the social season in North Chelmsford in a delightful way last night, by holding their social dance in the town hall. This is an event in which the members of the band and their friends look forward to each year for the dance under the auspices of the band is always a delightful event and last night's affair was the best of its kind ever held by the band.

The band orchestra played for the dancing, and the happy dancers spent a pleasant evening. Dancing was enjoyed until 12 o'clock. The committee in charge were chairman, Perlie Constantino; secretary, Fred Gaudette; treasurer, Arthur Slater; floor director, Jas. H. McCoy, Jr.; assistant, Robert Scribner; aids, David P. McNally, Edward Perry, Earl Fowler, James Heedam.

CONVENTION DATES

TO MAKE REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS FOR STATE TICKET.

The following are the dates of the conventions:

Oct. 1—Republican county convention in Huntington hall, Lowell, at 10.30 a. m.

Oct. 2—Republican state convention in Tremont Temple, Boston at 10.30 a. m.

Oct. 3—27th. Dist. Republican Representative convention in Republican headquarters, Lowell at 1.30 p. m.

Oct. 5—25th Dist. Republican Representative convention in republican headquarters, Lowell, at 8 p. m.

Oct. 6—6th. Dist. republican councillor convention in Huntington Hall, Lowell at 11 a. m.

Oct. 7—7th Dist. republican senatorial convention in republican headquarters, Lowell at 8 p. m.

Representative Luce who drafted and was instrumental in securing the adoption of the so-called Luce bill, which provides for joint caucuses and which will be voted on at the state election, will speak in Jackson hall on Tuesday, Oct. 6, at 8 p. m., explaining the bill.

This will be an excellent opportunity for all voters, irrespective of party, to get information about the bill. Mr. Luce will also be ready to answer questions regarding the workings of the new law.

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PHIL & WIDEN, 49 Lundberg street, Lowell, Mass.

ANDERS THOMASSON, 277 Central street, Lowell, Mass.

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Is now used to carry our vast stocks. This mammoth establishment could not be maintained without the support and confidence of our large number of regular customers and by making new customers each season and to accomplish this we sell up-to-date, reliable, honest made goods, at reasonable prices.

The Fashion Show

FOR FALL 1903

IN FULL SWING AT OUR STORE TODAY AND TOMORROW

The new styles fill our store and beam upon you from every department. An exposition of attire surpassing in beauty and correctness anything ever shown in a Lowell store.

We are thoroughly prepared to cater to and meet the demands of all kinds of trade and still keep Prices Below the Average.

No New Fad

That promised popularity was overlooked by our buyers who have stocked us with the latest novelties in all the leading lines.

A more fascinating collection of autumn beauties is not to be found.

In Cloak, Suit, Fur and Waist Dept.

We handle only garments that are "Right" in all the word implies.

Here you find not only "Just the Thing" but you have so many styles to select from you are better pleased with your final choice.

Hand tailored garments made by high class workmen are what we are offering at prices no higher than you will be obliged to pay for trashy stuff elsewhere.

We don't want to appear egotistical, but we do claim that a lady is always sure of the

Largest Assortment, Newest Ideas and Latest Designs in This Dept.

Ladies' Tailor Made Dresses $10 to $75 each

Covert, Zibeline, Kersey, Peau de Soie and Velour Coats $7.50 to $75 garment

Rain Coats in a wide range of fabrics, $10 to $30 each

Walking and Dress Skirts, $3.98 to $20 each

Waists, in silk, cotton or wool, 50c. to $15 each

In the Baby's Corner

This Dept. is Our Hobby

Located on the second floor, reached by an easy to climb short flight of stairs, heavily stocked with everything for Misses and Children to wear, it is indeed an inviting and entrancing place today for mothers.

Here she finds so many exquisite creations, neat, plain or elaborate, fashioned by the most skilful designers in this country and Europe and all at prices so reasonable as to cause her to wonder how it can be done.

We look for a big attendance of Mothers Today and Tomorrow.

New Designs in Shell Goods

Every lady requires from 3 to 6 pieces of Shell Goods to properly dress her hair. Several new designs in barettes. Side and back combs get their first showing today.

The Reform Comb, indispensable to an effective coiffure, hygenic, handy and novel, does away with wool or hair pads, price 10c each

Ladies' Kid Gloves

A perfectly equipped Glove Dept. where you will find all the standard makes fully represented. An expert fitter constantly in attendance to give our patrons the most careful attention. A prominent feature at present the selling of

Mannish Kid Gloves,

$1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 a Pair

Here also you may find the popular brands. Fownes, Clementina and System Jay, in shades of Red, Brown, Tan, Mode and Black.

New Jewelry

We are right after this Dept., determined to keep it in the front rank by constantly showing novelties and exceptional values. Several new things in Belt Sets, Brooches, and Collar Pins will be displayed today and tomorrow and we wish to attract attention particularly to our offerings at

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Laces and Dress Trimmings

We take especial pride in this Dept. and carry a larger stock and more styles than any store in town. Here, too, prices save you money.

Beautiful Persian Bands and Appliques, in desirable colors and attractive patterns, varying in width from 1-2 to 4 inches. Prices from

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Plain and Fancy Wood Silk Braids, in black or white, in a good assortment of widths and patterns. Prices ranging from

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Fringes and Drop Trimmings are particularly desirable this season and our showing is superb. Drop Ornaments,

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Fringes

89c. to $2.98 per yard

In Laces you will find here anything you need. A personal inspection will prove profitable and pleasing.

Ladies' Silk Elastics

Prominent in the department you will find Side Elastics, made from fancy frill web with patent fastenings, in a wide range of colors at..... 10c. each

50 pieces of Frill Elastic Web, with silk overshot, for armlets or garters, 20 different colorings, at..... 12 1-2c. Yard

Ladies' Fine Hosiery

A much larger stock, a greater variety of styles and a wider range of prices, make this department more attractive than ever.

A Hosiery Department in which you will find all the reputable makes. Silk, Lisle and Lace Hose in plain and fancy colors—at prices much less than you would have to pay for the same things in Boston or New York.

Our showing of values is exceptly for the same things in

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In the Furniture Dept.

In this department we are known as great value givers, a reputation earned on merit alone. Our stock comprises the products of the best makers in this country.

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It will interest you to see what we have to make home comfortable at little expense.

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To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
5.43	6.50	6.00	7.07
6.29	7.40	9.50	7.20
e6.39	7.31	7.34	8.54
6.42	7.53	8.25	9.01
e7.01	8.02	e9.00	9.38
e8.24	8.10	9.20	9.57
7.31	8.50	e10.00	10.37
7.45	8.55	10.17	11.34
8.50	9.40	e11.20	12.07
9.40	10.40	12.00	12.56
11.00	12.05	e1.00	1.58
e11.45	12.25	1.35	1.52
e12.14	1.00	2.00	3.01
1.40	2.50	e3.00	3.38
e1.56	2.29	3.47	5.00
3.03	4.20	4.14	5.30
e3.47	4.40	e5.00	5.38
4.02	4.45	5.38	6.26
4.25	5.36	5.47	6.54
e5.22	6.15	6.14	7.47
5.44	7.10	e7.30	8.08
e6.22	7.03	e8.30	9.08
e7.19	8.00	10.30	11.34
8.42	9.38	11.20	12.22

SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
e8.19	7.30	9.00	10.07
7.24	8.10	1.00	1.57
8.45	9.49	5.00	5.58
9.20	10.32	e7.30	8.08
e4.25	5.30	e8.30	9.08
e5.58	7.02	9.00	10.02

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6.50	8.00	7.30	8.34
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.32
9.25	10.39	10.45	11.41
10.50	12.02	11.50	1.08
12.05	1.32	2.15	3.19
12.45	1.57	3.30	4.55
2.20	3.44	4.25	5.45
3.10	4.10	4.59	6.20
3.55	5.04	6.04	7.05
5.06	6.43	6.35	7.48
6.15	7.16	8.39	10.40
7.00	8.06	B11.15	12.35
9.25	10.30		

SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
8.15	9.27	8.00	9.17
12.05	1.26	12.00	1.02
4.05	5.16	5.00	6.25
5.30	6.55	8.40	9.40
9.45	9.45		

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LOCAL NEWS

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Finest Wedding Hacks at O'Donnell's stables, 84 Jefferson street. Tel. 439-4.

The Babbitt Optical Co., formerly at 28 Dutton street, now permanently located at Bon Marche Building, Suite 19. Take the elevator.

The fall opening of millinery at the Temple of Design, 11 Merrimack square, will take place today and tomorrow.

Miss Blonnerhasset wishes to inform the public that her millinery opening will take place Monday, Oct. 5th. Central Block, room 44-45.

We all suffered from the coal famine. If the people were only wise enough to have had the Goodwin weather strip on their outside doors much of this suffering could have been avoided. They are the greatest coal savers ever invented. Do not fail to try them and you will thank us for the suggestion. If Thorndike street is where you place your order.

Don't forget the Burkes', with Flanagan's Orchestra, tonight, at Huntington hall.

CHANGE OF TIME.

Beginning Monday, October 5, 1903, the cars on the Moody street line will leave as follows:—

Merrimack square for Moody street, 5.30 a. m., 6.15 a. m. and 15 and 45 minutes after each hour until 11.15 p. m.

Returning leave the Lowell-Dracut line, 6.00 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 11.30 p. m.

ST. PETER'S CATHOLIC CEMETERY.

Being Handsomely Embellished by Workmen at the Present Time.

It is my ambition to make this the handsomest cemetery in Lowell. It is strictly a Catholic cemetery, as none but Catholics will be allowed to purchase lots to bury their dead in this cemetery.

Lots are sold at from $5 to $25, 50 per cent. less than prices asked for lots in other cemeteries. These lots will be sold on easy terms of payment, so that whatever your present financial condition, you can make such arrangements as will make it easy for you, with no worry or trouble about the payment.

John J. Gray, Donovan building, or office at St. Peter's cemetery. Telephone 578-4.

DEAR NEIGHBORS

Make Concerted Kick Against Keeping Hens

The report of the proceedings in the trial of the celebrated "hen case," in police court, yesterday had hardly appeared in the papers when the mail of the health department began to swell with complaints from outraged neighbors against people who keep hens, pigeons, rabbits and other alleged nuisances.

So numerous are the complaints that the health department undoubtedly will take some action in the matter. Heretofore there have been no such complaints made but once it became known that a man was fined $10 in police court for maintaining a nuisance by keeping hens, the complaints began to come in batches.

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McCLELLAN NAMED

Democratic Candidate for Mayor in New York

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2 Scenes without parallel in the history of city conventions were enacted last night in and around Carnegie hall, where the democratic convention for the naming of a city ticket was held. Both within the building and outside, people were jammed together; many were crushed, and women fainted on all sides. Extra police forces were called out, but as the crowd continued to grow in density it was found just as impossible as before to keep the people under control.

The first signs of enthusiasm in the house were when Leader Charles F. Murphy of Tammany marched down the centre aisle and took a seat about eight rows from the stage. Congressman Goldfogle walked just behind him. The crowd cheered. Lewis Nixon and Bird S. Coler sat in boxes interested but almost unnoticed spectators. T. C. T. Crain was elected chairman of the convention. Mr. Crain in a lengthy speech characterized the Citizens' Union as "A coterie of aldermen," the Greater New York democracy as "A small office-seeking clique," and other opposing forces as "Vestpocket organizations created to advertise public officials."

"This is a political campaign," he said, "because the result will have bearing on the state and national campaign."

When the committee on resolutions reported for deliberations, John L. Shea of Brooklyn handed in a petition protesting against the placing on the democratic ticket of the names of two men, "who are improperly called democrats and whose names appear on the fusion ticket."

On the return of the committee the platform was read. It was received with comparative indifference; only three or four times was there any pronounced applause and references reflecting on President Roosevelt passed without cheers.

The platform set forth that democrats and republicans everywhere will await the results of the coming election with an interest only second to that taken in a national political contest.

Among other things the platform says: "We believe in such municipal ownership of public utilities as the financial condition of the city shall permit it to assume."

The committee on resolutions ignored the protest of the delegation from Brooklyn presented by Mr. Shea. John J. Delaney then was escorted to the postrum to nominate George L. McClellan for mayor. "There is no hope for the democrats to carry the United States," said Mr. Delaney, "until we carry the state of New York, and we cannot carry the state of New York unless we carry the city of New York. We must nominate here a man of patriotic blood, a man who has never boasted of his ancestors, but has risen upon the ground, a man himself. I present to you for your consideration as your candidate for mayor, George B. McClellan."

The delegates from all the boroughs with the exception of Brooklyn, stood up and cheered enthusiastically. The Brooklyn men remained in their seats.

Mr. Delaney continued his praise of the candidate to whom he attributed all the virtues of his gallant father and a number of others. The nomination was seconded by Col. Franklin Bartlett and Congressman Joseph A. Goulden.

Martin W. Littleton, of Brooklyn, then nominated William J. Gaynor. The Brooklyn delegates rose en masse and cheered and waved their hats. Senator McCarron seconded the nomination.

On the roll call by assembly districts Manhattan, the Bronx, Queens and Richmond were unanimous for McClellan. The only break in the solidity of the vote of Brooklyn for William J. Gaynor was in the 11th district, the leader announcing "nine votes for Wm. J. Gaynor, one vote for George B. McClellan."

Mr. McClellan therefore received the nomination by 434 votes to 219 for Justice Gaynor.

FORNES NOMINATED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Charles D. Fornes was placed in nomination for president of the board of aldermen by Justice Beasch. Herman A. Metz was placed in nomination by George K. Fowell of Brooklyn. Fornes was declared the nominee of the convention.

Edwin M. Grout was named for comptroller.

CONFERENCE HELD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2—Linn Bruce, chairman of the republican county committee, Timothy L. Woodruff and Edward Lauterbach, had a long conference last night at the Loftus club, at which the present political situation as it affects the Fusion ticket was thoroughly canvassed.

It was decided that if the citizens union city committee decided to remove Messrs. Grout and Fornes from their ticket, then Mr. Woodruff as chairman of the republican city convention will issue a call for the reconvening of the republican city convention on Tuesday night next.

The conferees also discussed the names of the men to be substituted for Messrs. Grout and Fornes. Four were spoken of for the office of comptroller, all independent democrats. They were J. Edward Swanstrom, R. Fulton Cutting, Julian D. Fairchild and Joseph C. Hendrix. For the office of president of the board of aldermen, but one name was spoken of, Herman A. Metz of Brooklyn.

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POOR OVERSEERS

WILL MEET AT CITY HALL TONIGHT.

The overseers of the poor will meet this evening at city hall to approve monthly bills.

YELLOW FEVER

CONDITIONS NOT SO FAVORABLE AS HOPED FOR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LAREDO, Texas, Oct. 2—Developments in the yellow fever situation show conditions not so favorable as had been hoped for. The official report given out last night, shows:

"New cases, 6; suspicious cases, 2; cases previously reported, 39; total cases to date, 45. Total deaths, 3."

There were two deaths from the fever at Nuevo Laredo today. United States Vice-consul J. F. Klimmall, is still ill.

FINGERS LACERATED

WILLIAM GOULD INJURED AT THOMPSON'S BOX SHOP.

William Gould, employed at Thompson's box shop in Lawrence street, met with a painful accident while at work at that place this morning. He was running a circular saw when he got the third and fourth fingers of his left hand lacerated. He was taken to the Emergency hospital where it was found necessary to amputate the injured members at the first joint.

LUMBER PLANT BURNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 2—The plant of the People's Lumber company, with the exception of the office, at Monessen, has been destroyed by fire. Loss $50,000, with insurance of $12,000.

SPECIAL AT KEYES' AUCTION

SATURDAY AT 11 O'CLOCK

Brown horse, 9 years old, warranted sound and kind, absolutely fearless and a perfect family horse; can stop a mile in 2.30 and will show that clip at sale.

Also a Pneumatic Road Wagon in excellent shape; custom-made Hill harness, blankets, robes, etc. This team is the property of a well-known gentleman who is going away for the winter. If you want a first-class turnout, be sure and attend this sale.

F. G. McGREGOR - Auctioneer

OFFICE, 216 FOSTER STREET, LOWELL.

FOR THE BEST OF REASONS

On Saturday, Oct. 3, 1903, at 3 P. M.

I shall sell at auction one of the best paying pieces of property in the city, situated on the upper end of Cheever street in "Little Canada." The property consists of one 9-tenement block on leased land on which the building can remain as long as purchaser desires. The property will let for $75 per month.

TERMS: The purchaser must deposit with or secure to the auctioneer $300 just as soon as the property is struck off. The balance of the purchase money to be paid within thirty days.

All inquiries to be made at the office of the auctioneer.

GEORGE L. FOWLER.

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Nowhere else can you find such handsome shapes, such faultless fit, such conformity to fashion's demands.

B. Kuppenheimer & Co. and Thompson-Snow Co. clothes lead every advance in men's and young men's attire. Exclusively shown here.

Prices $10, $12, $13.50, $15, $16.50, $18, $20 and $25

AUCTION SALE

SATURDAY OCT. 3, 1903
2.30 and 7.30 P. M.

At 360 Merrimack St. Opp. City Hall

Before commencing alterations on our store we are going to offer our entire stock of Second Hand Furniture, Stoves, Ranges, Rugs, Iron Beds, Springs, Mattresses, Parlor Suits, Rockers, Couches, Lounges, Odd Chairs, Tables, Sideboards, Wardrobes, Sewing Machines, Organs, and many other articles too numerous to mention, for just what they will bring at public auction.

McGAUVRAN BROS,
J. M. FARRELL, Auctioneer.

STUNNING CLOTHES

At the "Daylight"

IF you are a man who is interested in "good clothes" it will be a real treat for you to look over the line of Suits and Overcoats we are showing from "Hart, Schaffner & Marx" and our "Boston Workrooms."

They are models of the tailor's art, just as right as right can be, and they cost no more than the ordinary kind. September was a great suit month. Many of the nobbiest lines are already broken in sizes. It's good judgment to buy now, you have a better selection than later on—our time is yours whenever you are ready.

OUR TWO SPECIALTIES

The "Varsity" Suit

made by "Hart, Schaffner & Marx" especially for young men. Short cut, close fitting coat, broad mill fury shoulders, built-up fronts, straight cut, with corners cut away sharply, the "Varsity" gives a form and style to the wearer that no other suit approaches. We show them in all the nobby Scotch effects and in the plain black and blue cloths,

$15 TO $25

The "Student Suit"

made in our "Boston Workrooms" on about the same lines as the Varsity. The Student is a typical young man's suit with all the snap and go a young man requires in his clothes. We also show a most attractive line of the "New Double Breast" Suit, in all the new popular fabrics and patterns. The Student and the Double Breast Suit at all prices.

$10 TO $25

Regular Sack Suit--- There's a big difference in the make-up as well as in fabric and colorings in the suits we show for men of quiet tastes and mature years and those for younger blood. They are distinctively separate lines. Our stock of Regular Sacks is in Fancy Worsteds, Worsted Cheviots, Cassimeres and Fine Scotch Mixtures and plain black and blue Worsteds and smooth faced goods. A great variety of colors, fabrics and patterns, from

$10 TO $25

Light Weight Top Coats, . . $8 to $25 Rain Proof Top Coats, . . $10 to $25

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SUN LATEST

FIVE O'CLOCK

SHEEP STEALING

Alleged Case Heard in Police Court Today

The case of Owen J. Sherlock, charged with stealing sheep from the Lowell Dressed Meat Company in Market street came up on continuance in police court today.

The company is in the habit of driving their sheep over the road from the freight station at North Chelmsford, where they are delivered to the company's farm in Chelmsford Centre.

The company has sent two herds over the road within the last few weeks. There were 216 sheep in the first lot and 219 in the second. The defendant was charged with stealing the sheep en-route.

Albert O. Hamel appeared for the commonwealth and John J. Hogan for the defendant.

Four men drove the sheep from North Chelmsford to Chelmsford Centre and some of the sheep got beyond th control of the herders. The head herdsman, however, stated that the defendant broke into the herd and separated them in order, it is said, to further his plans to steal.

One of the witnesses for the government, James Powers, said that the defendant said to him: "I have killed several sheep belonging to your company. I found them, advertised them, sold them and got my money and you people can do what you please about it."

At 12.20 the court adjourned to 2 o'clock.

STIL IN THE HOSPITAL.

John W. Scully, Michael Grogan, Lawrence F. Scully and John Scully, charged with assault and battery on Thomas Kelly were in police court today and were ordered in $500 each to October 12. The case came up on continuance.

The assault occured in Richardson avenue a week ago last Sunday afternoon and Kelly is at the Lowell General hospital suffering with a broken leg and other injuries as the result of the treatment he received at the hands of the men herein named.

AN UNLICENSED DOG.

Charles N. Sylvester, charged with keeping an unlicensed dog was ordered to pay the cost of the court. Sylvester said that the man from whom he bought the dog refused to give him the license that went with the canine.

Sylvester said the other fellow wanted the dog but he couldn't see it that way. The fact of the matter was, that although both men wanted the dog, the latter was so vicious he had to be killed.

Thomas Carbel charged with trespassing, the complainant being George W. Jocko, wras treated to a curtain lecture and discharged.

Patrick Warren, 13, charged with obstructing the street was soundly lectured and released.

Fred O'Loughlin charged with assault and battery was continued to October 9. The complainant was not in court.

Mary McBride for drunkenness was sentenced to the reformatory for women at Sherborn. She appealed and was ordered in $200 for the superior court.

SENATOR FAIRBANKS

NOT A CANDIDATE FOR VICE PRESIDENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 2—Senator Fairbanks of Indiana is not a candidate for the nomination for president or vice president, acording to a statement made here yesterday by Representative Hemenway of that state. Mr. Hemenway said:

"Senator Fairbanks is not a candidate for the vice presidential nomination. He might think it necessary to accept the nomination if made, but he is in no sense a candidate, and does not want the place. The republicans of Indiana are for him for anything he wants, and would heartily support him, as they have the greatest confidence in him. The Indiana republicans are for the nomination of Roosevelt and some good man from our state or some other state, and they believe the ticket will be elected, too. Indiana can be depended on to contribute its electoral vote to the ticket."

JURY DISMISSED

WITNESS SPOKE TO ONE OF THE JURORS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TAUNTON, Oct. 2—Before Judge Waite, at the September sitting of the superior court in this city, the case of James R. Smith, and his wife, Jennie V. Smith, who are the principals in an action brought for damages for the sum of $10,000, came to an abrupt ending yesterday afternoon. The defendant corporation in the case is the Old Colony Street Railway company. Mr. Smith and his wife were seeking to recover for injuries received by being thrown from a carriage in which they were riding by a collision with a car. The case had progressed two days, and the defence was being put in. The court delayed in coming in yesterday afternoon, and, when it did, Judge Waite stated to the jury that one of the witnesses, a medical man, had spoken to one of the jury regarding the case at the noon recess. The jury was accordingly dismissed and court adjourned for the day.

WILL TOW GALLIA.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 2.—The Boston steamer, Orion, which arrived early today, will leave late in the day with the disabled steamer Gallia, in tow, for New York. The Gallia did not land her passengers here.

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FROM EXPRESS OFFICE

THE SEIZURE OFFICERS TOOK CHARGE OF TWO BARRELS OF BOTTLED WHISKEY THAT THEY FOUND ON THE PREMISES OF THE AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY, CORNER OF CENTRAL AND MARKET STREETS THIS FORENOON.

BATES AND GUILD

Republicans Held State Convention in Boston

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 2.—In the same hall which yesterday was filled with democrats cheering to the echo the oratory of their leaders, the republicans of Massachusetts met today to nominate their state ticket, to adopt a platform for the coming campaign and to listen to the words of such speakers as the venerable Senator George F. Hoar, and Secretary of the Navy William H. Moody.

The assembely was large, the quota of delegates from all parts of the State being well filled. The proceedings anticipated as far as possible by the republican state committee, promised a smooth and expeditious transaction of business and the unanimous renomination of Governor John L. Bates, Lieut.-Governor Curtis Guild, jr., and the remainder of the present list of state officers was assured.

As former governor Murray Crane was chairman of the committee on resolutions, it was expected that the platform would be characteristic of the man who, as chief executive, seldom was known to utter more than a few sentences in any public speech. It was expected that his committee report today would be unique for its brevity and for the conciseness of its statements.

The mottoes setting forth democratic sentiments which yesterday adorned the walls of Tremont Temple, had been removed and in place of them tasteful decorations of red, white and blue bunting had been hung, and there was a profusion of American flags.

The convention was scheduled to meet at 10.30, but not more than 200 delegates were in their places at that hour. The failure to assemble in larger numbers was attributed to the fact that the parade of the Honourable Artillery company of London was due to pass the hall at about that hour. In view of the meagre assembly the convention officers held a conference and decided to defer the opening until after the parade had passed.

STILL BORN CHILD

FOUND ON LAKEVIEW AVENUE DUMP.

The body of a still born male child was found on the Lakeview avenue dump yesterday afternoon by one of the men employed there. It was bound up in a towel, and might have remained there for days, but for the fortunate discovery. Undertaker Brooks was notified and removed the body to his warerooms in Market street.

SIR THOMAS LIPTON

WILL SAIL FOR LONDON NEXT FRIDAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 2—Sir Thomas Lipton will leave here for New York tomorrow morning and sail next Friday for London. He has almost entirely recovered from his illness and his physician does not anticipate any relapse.

TWO CONVENTIONS

27TH DEMOCRATIC REPRESENTATIVE CONVENTION FIGHT.

The sixth district democratic senatorial convention will be held in the Town hall at Ayer next Wednesday, Oct. 7, at 2.30 p. m.

The 17th district democratic representative convention will be held in Jackson hall at 7.30 this evening.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

Local forecast: Fair tonight and Saturday; cooler tonight; light to fresh north to east winds.

GIRLS IN TROUBLE

MAY HAVE TO ANSWER FORGERY CHARGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2—Criminal prosecution now threatens Eva and Georgina Bradley, the pretty Cliffside (N. J.) girls, who were made the beneficiaries of the will of Mrs. Alecia Armstrong, which was declared Monday, by Surrogate Silkman of White Plains to be a forgery.

Today the grand jury will be asked to take up the case, and the authorities of Westchester county declare they will have the remarkable case probed to the bottom.

Three wills, bequeathing an aggregate of almost $400,000 to the two pretty barmaids, have now been declared forgeries, and a romance dating back nearly half a century has been developed.

A strange sequence of sudden deaths and insanity, about which, however, no suspicion of foul play lingers, has also been disclosed, and topping all is the hint of Lawyer Walter M. Sherwood of Union Hill, representative of the two girls, that they have been made the innocent victims of someone who has plotted beyond the comprehension of the authorities who have taken hold of the case.

Since the disclosures in the case the Bradley girls have been kept close to their modest home at Cliffside by their mother, who conducts a small saloon there, and it was announced yesterday by the latter that no effort would be made by them to collect the fortunes which were devised to them by the three alleged forged wills.

"We want nothing more than comes to us lawfully," said Mrs. Bradley, "and will take no more."

HEARD BY COURT

AN INTERESTING CASE IN LEWISTON, ME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

AUBURN, Me., Oct. 2—In the supreme court yesterday afternoon, before Associate Justice Strout, was heard the petition of Sarenkse Houle for a writ of mandamus to compel City Clerk John F. Slattery of Lewiston to correct his record showing the petitioner was found guilty of neglect of duty at the meeting of the mayor and aldermen Monday, July 23, when Houle was removed from the Lewiston police force. Aldermen Collier, Mullet and William J. Murphy, Deputy Marshal Scannell, William Lebourgeaux, Joseph Walsh, M. T. McGillicuddy, Dr. Richard T. Leader and Police Officer Walsh testified that they were at the hearing and that no such action was taken in sustaining the charges of neglect of duty as the records show. J. L. Reade, clerk of the supreme court, gave evidence that only one written ballot was taken in regard to Officer Houle, which was upon the removal of that officer. Mayor Skelton testified that during a recess the board discussed the matter of the removal of Houle, and that all expressed the opinion that Houle was guilty except Alderman Mullet, who objected to the penalty and not to the question of guilt. Written ballots were used. In open meeting, the mayor said, he put the question whether the officer was guilty of neglect of duty or not, and the aldermen voted by show of hands. Written ballots were taken upon the punishment. City Clerk Slattery corroborated the evidence of the mayor. Aldermen Purington gave evidence to sustain the mayor.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

MAN FROM WISCASSETT, ME., DROWNED HIMSELF.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2—A man supposed to have been David A. McRichie of Wiscasset, Me., jumped from the pier at West 12th street early this morning, swam out 100 feet and sunk. He evidently destroyed himself with most remarkable calmness, for in his hat which he laid upon the pier was a letter giving instructions to notify relatives and including his last will and testament. The writer stated that he desired his baggage at an uptown hotel should be forwarded to David J. McRichie, Washington, D. C. The suicide's body has not been recovered.

REFUSED TO SING

FRAU GADSKI WOULD NOT SING IN MUSIC HALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Oct. 2—Frau Gadski refused to sing at the Wagner banquet last night because it was given in the winter garden music hall, which contains the largest accommodation in Berlin. She said she had never sung in a music hall and would never do so, but she attended the banquet. Her name was on the program.

Edgar Stillman Kelley, who was to have represented the United States, has withdrawn from the international concert to be given Sunday night, for the reason that the orchestra has been unable to learn the Chinese airs from his opera, "Aladdin," and is likely to break down.

Sir Alexander MacKenzie, the representative of Great Britain, and the Norwegian, Grieg, have also withdrawn for various reasons.

HER MAIDEN TRIP.

By Associated Press to The Sun

QUEENSTOWN, Oct. 2—The Dominion line steamer Columbus sailed from here this morning for Boston on her maiden voyage. She will shortly be transferred to the White Star line and be renamed Republic.

JOCKEY SHEA DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 2—Jockey William Shea, who was injured in an accident at Delmar track Wednesday afternoon, died today from concussion of the brain.

THROWN FROM CARRIAGE.

Philip Grosse, well known Italian hand organ manipulator, met with a severe and painful accident about 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in Lawrence.

The mishap occurred on Elm street, where the injured man resides.

A countryman of his who belongs in Lowell came along with a horse and team and invited him to ride. The horse became frightened at an electric car which was passing on the Southern New Hampshire railway, and reared and kicked, finally breaking the shaft. The animal then became intractable and dashed along Elm street into Hampshire street, throwing Grosse and his companion from the vehicle. Officer Herlick witnessed the accident and carried Grosse, who was quite badly injured, to his home.

Dr. W. J. Sullivan was summoned and attended to the injuries of the unfortunate man. Grosse's companion escaped without injury. The infuriated animal was stopped in Hampshire street before further damage was done.

ANCIENTS ARRIVE

London Visitors Warmly Welcomed to Boston

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 2—For the first time in many years, the red flag of England, guarded by British muskets, was borne through the streets of Boston today by the Honourable Artillery company of London as special guests of a similar organization, the Ancient & Honorable Artillery company of this city, and the two escorted by several regiments of Massachusetts militia.

Landing at Charlestown, almost on the very spot where their ancestors started on their memorable attack on Bunker Hill, 128 years ago, the red coats of the 20th century marched from their steamer, the Mayflower, over the bridge to Boston, and then through the streets resplendent with American and British flags to their hotels, which will be their home during their sojourn in this city. For five days they will be feted and entertained, and then, after a week's tour, which will include New York, Washington, Niagara Falls and Canada, they will be sent back to their own shores with, it is hoped, a feeling of respect for American hospitality.

The Mayflower was sighted coming into Massachusetts Bay early in the morning, and before she had reached Boston light, a little steamer from the city ran alongside and Colonel Sidney M. Hedges, the commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery, accompanied by several of the staff boarded the Mayflower and welcomed the visitors, through their commander, the Earl of Denbigh. The latter, after expressing his pleasure in reaching Boston, said the trip across the ocean had been an uneventful one, though the last two or three days the weather was somewhat boisterous.

Through the courtesy of the government officials, the custom house inspection was practically omitted so that with little delay proceeded up the harbor. The ovation began before the Mayflower had entered the ship channel and from that time until it reached the dock salutes from the harbor fleet were continuous.

Before the visitors landed, the Mayflower was boarded by Adjutant-General Dalton, who extended in behalf of Governor Bates the official welcome of the commonwealth of Massachusetts to the Earl of Denbigh and the company.

THE PARADE.

As soon as the visitors landed and had formed their line, the procession started. The parade was one of the most spectacular that has been seen in Boston streets for some time. First came the First Corps of Cadets in their showy uniforms of white and blue, followed by the deep blue of the militia, which included the First regiment of Heavy Artillery and the Fifth, Sixth, Eighth and Ninth regiments of infantry. The National Lancers of Boston then slashed the line with their brilliant scarlet, but again the procession faded into deep blue as the British and Naval Veterans came along. This concluded the escorting column, for immediately following came the Boston Ancients. The various uniforms of the staff of this old organization have become traditional and include types which date back to the blue and buff of revolutionary days. The main body of the Ancients, however, have a distinctive uniform of blue, with red facings, and there were nearly 300 of the organization in line. The British red of the Royal Garrison band of Halifax, N. S., once more added brilliancy to the line, and finally came the visitors also in the red of England, topped with nodding bearskins. Such a variation of color made the parade one long to be remembered.

After a march through the principal down-town streets and across Boston common where more than a century ago a British general had been vanquished by Boston school boys, the visitors were escorted to their hotels and the parade was dismissed.

Along the route of march, nearly all the business houses were gaily decorated and the great crowds which thronged the streets frequently cheered and applauded the visitors.

The first of the entertainments accorded the visitors will be a smoker in Faneuil hall tonight.

STATE TROOPS

PUT TO WORK WITH THE REGULARS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CAMP YOUNG, West Point, Ky., Oct. 2—About 5000 enlisted men took the field today for the first of the series of combined manoeuvres for both regulars and militia. The work in the field consisted of six detached manoeuvres for advance guard. The general features of the problem were based on the relative position of the large imaginary blue and brown armies. The blues having been forced back to its base at Louisville by the brown army operating from Nashville and the blues having been reinforced, turn on the brown now located about 15 miles from West Point. The state troops were worked with the regulars, a detachment of the latter participating in each manoeuvre.

FUNERALS

McGANN—John T. McGann, aged five months, child of Peter and Margaret, died this morning at the home of his parents, 1 and 2 Dutton street.

The funeral took place this afternoon and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery and was under the direction of Funeral Director Charles H. Molloy.

CURRY—The funeral of the late Michael Curry occurred this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his late home, 65 Moore street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased, including a number of out-of-town people. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Sacred Heart church in Moore street, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Trosche, O. M. I. The choir under the direction of Mrs. Adelaide Maddon sang the Gregorian mass.

The bearers were Messrs. Owen Donohoe, Peter Cullen, Frank Curry and John J. Donnelly. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery, where the last sad rites of the Catholic church were administered by Rev. Fr. Trosche, O. M. I. The funeral was under the direction of Funeral Director Thomas J. McDermott.

ANARCHISM DISCUSSED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ANTWERP, Belgium, Oct. 2.—The International Law conference terminated today after a desultory discussion of anarchism, which was referred to the next conference for a fuller debate.

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SERIOUS CHARGE

Man Sold Horse That Had Glanders

Lester S. Franklin, for whom a warrant was issued several days ago and for whom the police have been looking, called at the police station this forenoon, accompanied by his lawyer, J. H. Gallet, and gave himself up. A little later he was arraigned in police court and bailed.

Franklin is wanted for selling a horse afflicted with a contagious disease called "farcy," but more commonly called "glanders."

He claimed to the police that he did not know until today that a warrant had been sworn out against him. As soon as he heard about it, he said, he called on Mr. Gallet and the latter acompanied him to the police station.

Franklin put the horse in auction at Hanson's stable and the animal was purchased by Charles Beck of Methuen.

The most serious feature of the case is the fact that Beck contracted the disease and his case is critical.

HEAVY DAMAGE

CAUSED BY THE RISING OF THE RIVER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BROWNWOOD, Texas, Oct. 2.—Much damage has been done by a rise in the river here. No trains are running over the Santa Fe or 'Frisco, wash-outs having occurred at several points.

Dr. J. B. Pentecost, who was driving to his home at Glen Cove with his family in his buggy, got into a swollen creek and Mrs. Pentecost and one child were drowned.

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DOUBLE CRIME

MURDER WAS FOLLOWED BY SUICIDE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Fritz Shoeman today shot and killed Louis Zettzel in a grocery store in West 37th street and then going home, committed suicide. Zettzel recently bought the store of Shoeman and the men quarrelled about the sale.

NO CHANGE IN STRIKE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WATERVILLE, Me., Oct. 2.—There is still no change in the strike situation at the Hollingsworth & Whitney pulp and paper mills in Winslow.

The national representatives of the Firemen's union, said to be here, are not here, and those said to be coming have not yet arrived. There has been no interference by strikers with the men now in the fire room.

VISITED RICHMOND.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WINCHESTER, N. H., Oct. 2.—A visit to Richmond, the native town of Rev. Hosea Ballou, the "Father of Universalism," was made today by the delegates to the state universalist convention. There they dedicated a large bowlder, which marks the site of Ballou's birthplace.

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CARSON'S REPLY

To Arguments of American Counsel

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 2.—Sir Edward Carson, the solicitor general, consumed the morning session of the Alaskan Boundary commission today in endeavoring to refute the arguments of David T. Watson and Hannis Taylor of counsel for the United States, especially protesting against Mr. Taylor's contention that the term "head of the coast" could only apply to the political coast line and not to the physical coast line. He also maintained that the principle of acquiescence was not applicable to the present dispute and somewhat surprised the audience by declaring that under the powers of the treaty of 1903 the commissioners had not authority to define questions submitted to them and that they could neither lay down the boundary nor decide what constituted the coast. All the commissioners could do was to answer questions submitted to them in the treaty either negatively or affirmatively. If they gave certain answers they might make matters more confused than ever and open up a new series of diplomatic tangles.

GRADE CROSSING

CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD MONDAY.

The special committee on grade crossings will hold its conference with the mill agents next Monday in regard to the changing of the time of shifting cars at the Merrimack street crossing.

NO MEETIMGS

THREE COMMITTEES COULD NOT GET QUORUMS.

The appropriations, cemetery and education committees of the city council were to have held meetings last night at city hall, but no quorums appeared and hence there were no meetings.

HELD IN $300

TWO MEN WERE CAUGHT RAIDING CARS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 2.—William Grime of Boston, and Walter W. Monks, of Ashacons, N. H., arrested while ransacking an American Express car on the Boston-Portland train early yesterday morning on arrival here, pleaded not guilty when arraigned today.

Probable cause was found and they were bound over to the superior court in the sum of $300 each.

BETTER GUARD

HAS BEEN ORDERED FOR THE CZAR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VIENNA, Oct. 2.—A dispatch from Mustrzeg, Syria, says the precautionary measures taken for the safety of the czar were largely extended today. The special reason for this has not transpired, but fresh detachments of gendarmes have been ordered to the hunting district, where all movements of unauthorized persons are prohibited during the times the czar and Emperor Francis Joseph are hunting. Additional precautions have been taken to guard the spot occupied by the czar during the chamois drives.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

Clark's Royal Runaway Girls made their initial appearance at the Academy of Music yesterday afternoon and the performance was repeated last night to a large and appreciative audience.

The performance opens up with an affectionate rolicking musical extravaganza, entitled "A King's Keepsake," which is laughable from start to finish, the comical situations and jokes being novel and up-to-date.

A bevy of pretty girls with fine voices and beautiful costumes present a very attractive appearance.

During the performance of the extravaganza the Sisters Burg sing "Up and Down the Line," while six of the male members of the company render "Capt. Hardtack," "Violets," as sung by Miss Jacobs, received vociferous applause. "Way Down" was sung by Helen Russell, assisted by the company, and M. J. Kelley sang the new success "The Man in Overalls." "Roses of Sing-quee," was sung by Abe Reynolds, assisted by the company, while "My Pipe is Out," was given by M. J. Kelley. The Burg Sisters gave a fine rendition of "Cocoanut Tree," while Ada Buttner, assisted by the company, sang "Volunteers." There was a strong olio of six turns.

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LOCKOUT ENDED

EMPLOYES GET UNION PAY AND HOURS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 2.—After a lockout of over seven months, the 600 employes of the plant of the American Corn Products company, known as the Chicago Glucose factory, will go back to work under union conditions with union pay and hours.

The trouble arose early in February when the brotherhood of carpenters and joiners organized the millwrights employed by the company and demanded 50 cents an hour. The company then locked out its men and the steam power council secured a settlement.

GENERAL SMITH ILL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 2.—General Orland Smith, formerly vice-president of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad company, is critically ill at his home in this city.

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What you need is a tonic. Stimulants do more harm than good, because they merely excite the nerves to temporary activity, which is invariably followed by a depressing reaction. Tonics do not bring about unnatural activity, but by building up the nerves, regulating the bowels, purifying the blood and securing perfect action to the liver, kidneys, stomach and bowels, enable Nature to take care of herself.

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Walking skirt of novelty mixtures, seven-gored flare, lapped seams, tailor stitching, at

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Shirt waist of fancy waisting, yoke effect, fancy stock, large pearl buttons,

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Blouse suit of panne cheviot, colors black, blue and brown. Long skirted coat with new shoulder cape, jacket satin lined, skirt full flare, lapped seams, at

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Men's all-wool black cheviot suits, single and double breasted, serge lined and well made, at

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SUIT FOR $10,000

B. D. O'Connell, Esq., vs. Courier-Citizen

Bernard D. O'Connell, Esq., has brought suit in action of tort against the Courier-Citizen company of this city, for $10,000 and also against the Boston Herald for the same amount. The process was served by U. S. Deputy Marshal Waters yesterday. Mr. O'Connell is now a citizen of New York and the case will be heard in the United States circuit court.

BERGERON PROPERTY

SOLD BY C. F. KEYES FOR GOOD PRICES.

Seldom, if ever, have real estate holders in our city had the pleasure of seeing a parcel of real estate publicly sold, for thousands over its assessed valuation. But this is what occurred yesterday afternoon, when Mr. Keyes offered for sale the first parcel, the 3½ story block at Nos. 12, 14 and 16 Cabot street.

Some of our largest property holders were present, in an attendance of about 200 people, and they expressed very satisfactory comments as it is a trend toward better prices and a rise in the market.

The first parcel was started by Mr. A. C. Wheelock, for $4,000, and was finally purchased by Mr. Patrick Brosnan for $9060, plus taxes for two years, making the price about $9275, or about $3175 over the assessed valuation. The commissioner with Mr. Keyes then went to Pawtucketville and sold the residence at No. 325 Mammoth road to Mr. James Saunders for $3445 plus two years' taxes, making a total of about $3648. At the sale there was great competition. The adjoining lot was also purchased by Mr. Saunders for $605 plus taxes, making total about $633. This showed a slight percentage over the assessed valuation.

The cottage house at No. 311 Mammoth road was purchased by Mary P. Bannon for $800 plus taxes, making the price about $1000. The last parcel, a cottage house adjoining, was purchased by Mr. A. P. Best for $1135 plus taxes, making the price about $1213. The price of the last two parcels was equally good, considering the condition of the buildings. On the whole it was the opinion of most everyone present that it was the most successful public sale of real estate held in Lowell for some time.

Commissioners Wm. A. Hogan, W. W. Duncan and James G. Hill felt much gratified over the sale and personally thanked Mr. Keyes for his work and labor in bringing about such good results.

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Courses in Cotton Spinning.
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Warp Preparation and Weaving.
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The certificate of the school will be awarded to all who successfully complete either course. Graduates of other schools will be admitted without examinations.

For all others who have not previously attended the Lowell Textile school examinations will be held in the subjects of Arithmetic and English at the school on

Thursday, October 8, 1903, at 7 O'clock, P.M.

The evening classes will be free to residents of the city of Lowell. To all others the fee for each course will be $2.50 per term or $5 per year. Application for admission or catalogue may be made by postal card addressed to WILLIAM W. CROSBY, Principal Lowell Textile School, Lowell, Mass.

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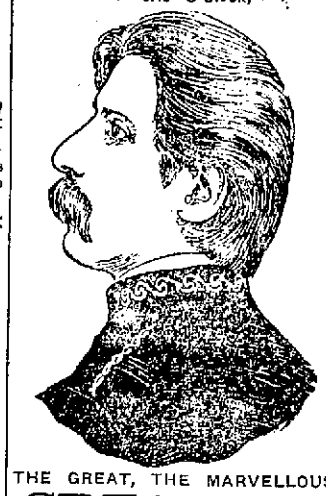
SUNDAY NIGHT, OCTOBER 4TH, At 8.15 O'Clock,



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THREE ALARMS

Another Blaze Broke Out in Burbank Block

The fire department was summoned to a blaze in the ill-fated Burbank block in Prescott street early this morning, and though the fire did not amount to much if it had not been discovered at the time it was, the building might have been gutted for the second time this year.

Police Officer Noye was passing through Prescott street about quarter to three when he noticed the reflection of a fire in one of be rooms on the third story. He immediately rushed to the square and pulled in an alarm from box 13 which is located in front of The Sun building.

The department was prompt in arriving. The fire was in the hallway on the third floor and was in a tin ash can. A stream from the extinguisher put an end to the fire. It is hard to tell what caused the fire, but Assistant Chief Norton, who is acting chief while Chief Hosmer is attending the convention, told a representative of The Sun that without doubt something of a combustible nature had been thrown into the can. There was no damage.

FIRE IN GREEK DISTRICT.

The firemen had no sooner got back from the alarm from box 13 and got comfortably located in bed and preparing for a rest, when an alarm from box 125 brought them to their feet again. The fire this time was in Lewis street in the property owned by R. G. Bartlett, and occupied by Greeks.

The alarm was pulled in a few minutes before 4 o'clock and the fire was caused by the overturning of an oil stove which set fire to the woodwork. One of the occupants of the house had got up and was preparing breakfast when the stove was accidentally overturned. Almost every Greek in the neighborhood was on the street to learn the extent of the fire. The damage was slight.

MYSTERIOUS FIRE.

A fire, the origin of which is yet a mystery, started in the house owned and occupied by Mrs. Benjamin Walker, at 100 Appleton street, at 10.45 o'clock last night. A curtain in one of the rooms got afire and communicated to a sofa pillow and the fire was blazing in a merry manner when discovered.

There was no one in the room when the fire started and as the gas light is on the opposite side of the room it is hard to imagine what could have started the blaze.

TRADE FEATURES

Merchants are Cutting Down Orders

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Special telegrams to the International Mercantile agency regarding more important trade features are summarized as follows:

Some concern has been felt lest the wage reduction movement begun by pig iron makers and in the building trades in St. Louis and elsewhere may extend to other lines. Merchants in staple lines have begun to cut down orders somewhat.

Wholesale and retail trade in the iron and coal regions is somewhat upset over the shut-downs present and prospective, talk of cancellations of orders for some varieties of steel, and checked buying by some manufacturers. In other directions trade is encouraging. In New England distribution runs 15 per cent. ahead of last year.

It is now clear that there will be a two billion bushel crop of corn and that wheat will be above an average. This is already reflected in a better movement, export purchases, a better supply of commercial bills and a drop in foreign exchange. Cotton receipts are far behind last year.

Aside from iron mine and furnace regions and in some building lines, careful canvass reveals no tendency thus far to reduce wages.

New England cotton mills are slowly resuming. Woolen mills are running full time.

Wall street reaction hit money interests at a number of central and western cities with evidence shown in some instances in effects upon business enterprises. Demands for funds for legitimate business are very heavy. Banks are having all they can do to meet requirements.

EDITOR VAN DUSE DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WINONA, Minn., Oct. 2.—Fred N. Van Dusse, managing editor of the Evening Republican and Herald, is dead, aged 36. Mr. Van Dusse for several years acted as Washington correspondent for the Twin City newspapers.

LIEUT. PEARCE DROWNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 2.—H. M. S. Flora, after a cruise extending as far as Sitka, has returned to Comox and reports the loss of Sub. Lieut. William C. Pearce, who was drowned while the ship was in northern waters.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE!

GREATEST SHOE OFFERING Lowell shoe buying public ever have had opportunity to attend. 15,610 pairs Finest Footwear made, comprising stock of the 20TH CENTURY SHOE STORE TO BE SOLD FOR CASH. Wearers of our shoes in the past well know the quality of this stock and will save dollars on their fall shoe bill if they attend this sale.

Read the following list of prices and you will know what is what.

98c LOT

Ladies' Kid Button and Lace Boots, were $2.00 and $3.00.
Ladies' Kid Oxford Ties, were $1.50 and $3.00.
Ladies' Kid House Slippers, were $1.50 and $1.75.
Child's School Shoes, Box Calf, were $1.25 and $1.50.
Youths' School Shoes, solid, were $1.25 and $1.50.
Ladies' High Cut Storm Boots, were $2.50 and $3.00.

$1.98 LOT

Men's Tan Lace Boots, Makey's, Nettleton, Curtis and Elite, were $3.50 and $5.00.
Ladies' Fine Kid Button and Lace Boots, were $3.00.
Ladies' Pearson Special Tan Boot, were $3.50.
Ladies' Kid Cloth Top Lace, were $3.00.
Ladies' Patent Vici Cloth Top Lace, were $2.50.

$2.98 LOT

Men's Elite Enamel Bals., were $3.50 and $4.00.
Men's Enamel Blucher Bals., French, were $4.00.

$1.48 LOT

Ladies' High Cut Welted Box Calf, were $3.00.
Ladies' Kid Button and Lace Boots, were $2.50.
Misses' Welted Lace Boots, were $2.00.
Misses' School Boots, were $2.00.
Boys' Tan Bals., hand-made, were $3.00.
Boys' School Shoes, solid, were $2.00.

$2.48 LOT

Ladies' Welted Button and Lace Boots, were $3.50.
Men's High Cut Box Calf Bals., Elite, were $4.00.
Ladies' Patent Vici Button and Lace Welted, were $3.50.
Men's Elite Patent Button and Lace Boots, were $3.50.

$3.50 LOT

All of Nettleton Patent and Enamel Calf Oxfords, were $5.00.

The above list is only a few of the many bargains that await you here. This space will not permit of full list. Come early and bring list of sizes. We will see to your wants as always have, this time with lowest prices in Lowell's history on Fine Footwear.

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20th Century Shoe Store

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THE HENS CACKLE A PROTEST.

"Back to the Woods" the Order to the City Hens

At 11.45 yesterday Judge Hadley rendered a decision in the police court forbidding the keeping of hens within the city limits without a written permit from the board of health, and Agent Knapp of that august body says that the board of health is not in the habit of giving such permits in writing. At exactly 2.30 yesterday afternoon every old hen, young hen and the rooster congregated on the south common and joined wings and cackles in an indignation meeting. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Wyandotte, with Miss Plymouth Rock as secretary, and after the brimming tears were wiped away Jonnie Redcomb, a gay young rooster, took the floor at once and said:

"Dear old hens and unsophisticated pullets, I would a word with thee. Our rights have been trespassed upon and this is an indignation meeting. It may be that our forefathers and foremothers didn't come over on the Mayflower, but the fact remains that we have been permitted to enjoy as our ancestors enjoyed all the comforts and scratching liberty on the premises we occupy. We are not very well acquainted with court usages, but as law-abiding feathered folk we do know that the mandate of the court must be obeyed. As the aborigine, the red man, was driven from the view of the water fail to a reservation in the background, so are we being driven from the home of our childhood, from the pastures and sand mounds in which our ancestors scratched and frolicked to a post in the country where the ruling of the judge and the quibbling of the lawyer is unknown."

It may be that our eggs were decayed fruit and that our offerings were not what they should have been. It may be that we roosted too high and scratched too hard but we had our little families to take care of and we did the best we could.

A GREAT INJUSTICE.

Far be it from me to fill your combs, oh ye young and muscular roosters, with a desire for revenge. Far be it from me to induce ye pullets of tender years to "lay" for the men who have struck at our liberty, but as forbearing as the ruler of the coop would have me be I cannot help feeling that a great injustice has been done us. True, we are not taxpayers but we have supplied that which has paid the taxes. We laid egs in and out of season and would have laid bricks but for the fact that the act was a physical impossibility. Our services have been of the ten-fold order, and even when the hand of the human murderer fell upon a plump and pretty broiler we mourned a brother's loss in silence.

TO THE TALL TIMBERS.

In the book of pullets there is something said about the straw that broke the camel's back, and verily I say this is the straw intended to break our backs. We have lived here year in and year out laying, cackling, crowing and scratching dirt as best we could and now, when the comb of erstwhile gay roosters are on the ragged edge our destiny is transferred to the court of man and despite the best efforts of our ever genial and staunch friend, Agent Knapp of the board of health, we are suddenly relegated to the tall timbers. Back to the woods, is the vulgar reading of the court's mandate, and there is just the least little glimmer of hope in what light we may be held in the eye of a higher court.

Surely if a jury sits upon our case we may expect fair treatment. Juries, as a general thing, are composed of "moss backs," the original producers of the poultry family, and it is up to them to assist us in holding down our city homes, but verily I say unto you that our chances look decidedly slim.

ROOSTER IS CHAIRMAN.

Finally the indignation meeting organized with the rooster as chairman.

One old rooster suggested that the whole gang "lay" for Judge Hadley.

"Oh, what's the use," said another. "If we do he'll get us into hot water, anyway."

Another hen, just at the age when parties and visiting are given up for home sewing evenings, said: "That's so, and I'm a little chicken-hearted about the fate of the rising generation of hens. I wonder if the judge has read "Roosevelt on Race Suicide," and

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If "Your Face Is Your Fortune," Your Skin Is Priceless.

No one yet ever had a feeling of admiration for a person with a blotched, pimply, unhealthy skin. Such things are not only disagreeable, but positively repulsive, and there is absolutely no excuse for skin trouble of any kind.

ZEMA-CURA will cure anything that is the trouble with your skin, Pimples, Blackheads, Eruptions or a Rash of any kind.

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CAN LAND CHINESE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 2—The China Commercial steamship company, operating steamers to this port, has won its fight for the right to land Chinese coolie laborers in Mexico. The news of the intention of the Mexican government to permit Chinese to land on its soil has just been received by steamship officials in this city.

APPOINTED POSTMASTERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—L. N. Ramsdell was appointed postmaster at New Frye, Maine, today.

Charles E. Osgood was appointed postmaster at Petersham, Mass., today.

SKIN TORTURES

Itching, Burning, Scaly Skin and Scalp Humors, Eczemas, Rashes and Irritations instantly relieved and speedily cured by warm baths with

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And gentle anointings with Cuticura Ointment, when physicians and all else fail.

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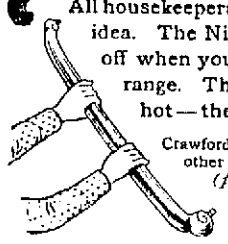

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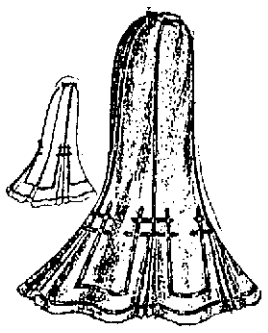

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MILK FIGHT OVER

Contractors and Milk Producers Agree

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 1.—The milk controversy was settled today in a way which insures Boston and New England plenty of milk at the same price that was paid last winter. The following agreement is now in force:

"Pending arbitration 39 1-2, Boston price, with two cents carrying charge or 37 1-2 flat price, on this summer's basis and conditions.

"If two cents carrying charge is insufficient to take care of the loss, then we limit excess production pro rata to bring it down to established carrying charge of two cents.

"We cannot in any event limit producer below last winter's production.

"If a producer, after notification, continues to send his excess milk, then it will be paid for at butter price.

The excess milk, if any, not to be pooled.

"No extension of territory."

President P. E. Bullard signed the agreement for the New England Milk Producers' union, and George O. Whiting signed it for the contractors.

RAIDING A CAR

Men Were Caught in the Act

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 1—Men claiming to be George Wilson of Boston and Walter Monks of Ashmont, N. H., were arrested while ransacking an express car attached to the Boston & Maine passenger train No. 127 which arrived at 12.40 a. m. today. The train makes only one stop between Boston and Portland, so the men must have broken into the car at Portsmouth, expecting to escape when the train reached this city. The American Express employes happened to open the door immediately and discovered the men. They were disposed to resist arrest until a revolver was drawn by one of the expressmen. Packages scattered about the floor had been opened and much damage had been done.

CAUGHT "SPYING"

TWO MEN IN NEW YORK NAVY YARD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—It is reported from the New York navy yard that two strangers who gained entrance through the regulation visitors' pass, have been surprised in the act of taking expert notes on the battleship Connecticut, now being constructed. One of the men was observing the work through a glass and dictating notes to his companion. The matter was reported by a foreman and the visitors were requested to leave the yard immediately.

THE GOULD LINES

WILL BE FORMED INTO GREAT COMBINE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 1—Papers are being drawn up by attorneys identified with Gould interests for the consolidation of the Gould lines west of Pittsburg, with the exception of the Ann Arbor and the roads west of St. Louis. The combination will include, it is stated, the Wheeling & Lake Erie, the Pittsburg, Carnegie & Western, with its two underlying companies and the Wabash.

This matter will be submitted to the stockholders of the Wabash at their next meeting.

BANK MUST PAY

EVEN THOUGH DRAFT WAS LOST AT GAMBLING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 1.—Superior Judge Sloss has decided that a bank must check a draft and check wagered and lost at cards. The decision was in favor of Ralph C. Cotton of Salt Lake who sued the First National bank of San Francisco $1,145 on a certificate check and a sight draft issued to Clark Jones. James lost the check and draft in a poker game at Salt Lake. After passing through second parties the checks came into the possession of Cotton. James ordered payment stopped on the draft and check, claiming that he had been robbed.

PRINCE HENRY

CABLES HIS CONGRATULATIONS TO CHICAGO.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 1.—Prince Henry of Prussia, who was Chicago's guest last year, has cabled his congratulations and good wishes for Chicago on her hundredth birthday in the following message to Mayor Harrison:

"Mr. Harrison, Mayor of Chicago:—Received with heartfelt thanks invitation. Best wishes for the celebration. Success and prosperity for the future of the beautiful city of Chicago.

"Henry, Prince of Prussia."

The message was in English.

TILLMAN TRIAL

WAS RESUMED AT LEXINGTON TODAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LEXINGTON, S. C., Oct. 1—J. W. King, member of the legislature from Florence county, was the first witness called by the state today in the trial of J. H. Tillman. The witness said.

"On the day before the shooting I saw a pistol in Mr. Tillman's pocket."

On cross-examination he said he was aware of unfriendly relations between the defendant and Editor Gonzales.

The reading of the editorials of the State relating to the defendant was then begun.

Among the editorials which have been read to the jury, a number are criticisms of the defendant's action in telegraphing the president in connection with the Micah Jenkins sword fund incident, while others were written in opposition to Mr. Tillman's prospective candidacy for governor.

GASTON THE MAN

Richard Olney 2nd Selected for His Running Mate

HON. WILLIAM A. GASTON.

Meeting of the Democracy Held in Tremont Temple—Convention the Most Enthusiastic Held in Years

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, OCT. 1.—THE DEMOCRATS OF THE STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS NAMED THEIR STATE TICKET AT A CONVENTION HELD IN TREMONT TEMPLE TODAY.

THE TICKET DECIDED UPON WAS AS FOLLOWS:

FOR GOVERNOR—WILLIAM A. GASTON OF BOSTON.

FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR—RICHARD OLNEY, 2D, OF LEICESTER.

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE—EZEKIEL M. EZEKIEL OF SPRINGFIELD.

FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL—JOHN J. FLAHERTY OF GLOUCESTER.

FOR TREASURER—THOMAS C. THATCHER OF YARMOUTH.

FOR AUDITOR—F. X. TETRAULT OF SOUTHBRIDGE.

THE CONVENTION.

As the strains of popular airs, played by a full orchestra, floated out into the corridors of Tremont Temple, today, the delegates to the democratic state convention assembled to nominate a candidate for governor and other state officers and adopt a platform of principles. Many delegates from all parts of the state had reached the city last night, and the early trains brought others. When Congressman William S. McNary, chairman of the state central committee, appeared on the platform, more than 1250 delegates were in their places. Secretary G. T. McLaughlin of Sandwich read the call for the convention. Temporary officers were then chosen, Hon. William S. McNary being the chairman and George T. McLaughlin of Sandwich and Edward F. McSweeny of Boston, secretaries.

Mr. McNary outlined the work of the convention and announced committees.

The reading of the report on permanent organization was marked by considerable enthusiasm.

Charles W. Bartlett, the choice of the convention, was received with great applause as he took the chair.

CHAIRMAN BARTLETT'S SPEECH.

In his address as permanent chairman of the convention, Charles W. Bartlett devoted his time largely to an arraignment of the republican party. He spoke of the evils of present tariff system and the danger of militarism, condemned the so-called frauds in the interior department of the United States and referred to the alleged dishonesty in the postoffice department. Speaking of state matters, Mr. Bartlett criticized the republicans for allowing the interests of Massachusetts to suffer in connection with commercial dealings with Canada and for their negligence in not enforcing the statute laws. Speaking on the tariff, Mr. Bartlett said:

"The people in time will comprehend the absolute robbery legalized by our present tariff. That time, in my judgment, is now rapidly approaching. Object lessons are multiplying. When we were threatened, only last year, by absolute stagnation of business and actual suffering in our homes, by reason of shortness of the coal supply, something had to be done to appease the wrath of a justly offended people and a striking illustration appeared when the tax on coal was practically suspended for one year. Even then no attempt was made to amend a line of the present tariff but legislation took place practically suspending its operation on a single item of one of the absolute necessities of life. Fear of absolute revolt upon the part of the people wrung this concession from their unwilling hands.

"The people are slowly awakening to the fact that this tariff by indirect and devious means is filching them of their money and making their burdens heavier. And is slowly debauching our government and otherwise endangering our liberties. The republicans ask what remedy can you suggest that will not cause confusion in business affairs. We answer, abolish your class legislation, amend your tariff, strike out all protection to monopolies, give infant industries capitalized to the million and the billion mark the same opportunities only that legitimate business enterprises have and that the people in general have.

"I again arraign the republican party for its doctrines on the questions of militarism. The dominant party has struck a false note; it is an appeal to the war spirit. In countries where such spirit prevails, possibly partly excused by their location, history teaches us that the plain people are ground down by it, for they eventually pay all the bills."

Speaking of imperialism, Mr. Bartlett said:

"It is a step toward confusion and danger. It is a departure from American ideas. It is a movement and a sentiment that bodes evil to us and our institutions. It is contrary to the teachings of our democratic ancestors. This republic cannot remain as a republic, one half republic and the other half conquered province."

The speech was listened to with the greatest attention and every point made by the speaker was quickly taken up by the vast audience, which expressed its approval by applause.

When Mr. Bartlett referred to Gen. Nelson A. Miles, as "the foremost American soldier living today, dear to the hearts of our people, idolized by his old comrades," he was greeted with applause and cheers which compelled the speaker to pause. When he resumed the audience remained quiet only long enough to hear the words "has been disciplined, snubbed, belittled and insulted by a crowd of fustian soldiers and sycophants surrounding the technical head of the army, who was a chance participant in one small fight—" when it burst into another tremendous tumult of handclapping and shouts.

The figures reported by the credentials committee showed 1697 delegates present out of 1812 entitled to seats. All of the 33 cities in the state and 297 out of the 320 towns were represented.

Nearly two hours were consumed in the delivery of the address and the speaker's closing words were followed by long continued applause, which finally culminated in three cheers and a "tiger" for Mr. Bartlett.

Frederick J. Stimson, chairman of the committee, read the resolutions as follows:

THE PLATFORM.

1.—We reaffirm the principles of democracy, which are eternal and immutable and vary only in their application and expression as the needs and dangers of our country demand. The democratic party shall fight the trust oligarchy now as it fought the political oligarchy with Jefferson.

2.—First of all we place the question whether those laws shall continue which put the livelihood of eighty millions of people in the power of the few which enable the same hands that control the railroads to control the mines, that control the banks to control the treasury, that own the people's necessities to own the people's government. The trusts—monopolies made by law—entrenched behind a prohibitive tariff, buttressed by subsidies and special rates—plunder our people with the one hand while with the other they reach for conquest, and sell their product cheap abroad that they may sell it dear at home. We condemn the hypocrisy of that party which, admitting the evil, makes the remedy dependent upon a constitutional amendment which it never intends to pass. We despise that hypocrisy which outdoes populism in placing the treasury money at the service of favored banks and breaks the law to favor Wall street speculators. We favor immediate regulation of trusts under the inter-state commerce and taxation powers of congress and the admission free of duty on articles controlled by the trusts on raw materials of manufacture and the necessaries of life.

3.—We condemn the policy of conquest and subjugation. We demand that Cuba be treated as we promised; we demand that the Philippines be treated like Cuba.

4.—Reciprocity with Canada, long the hope of Massachusetts, must soon be achieved or abandoned for ever. We demand as a natural right an opportunity to preserve and enlarge our commerce with our northern neighbor.

5.—We hold that the principles of civil service reform should not be deserted by an official, however high or for a political exigency however great. United States senators should be elected by the people and not by legislatures packed or corrupted.

6.—We demand legislation throughout the country which shall equalize the hours of labor, shorten the hours of women and children, prohibit the labor of the very young in factories and protect mechanics and our employers by bringing other states up to the Massachusetts standard. We demand from congress a national labor code which shall limit the hours of continuous employment of railroad engineers, telegraph operators and switchmen and generally protect all engaged in inter-state commerce, by uniform law throughout the country. We condemn the abuse by some federal courts of the high writ of injunction. We favor tribunals for voluntary arbitration in all labor disputes with power to enforce their decrees.

We should condemn lynchings in the south or in the north as we condemn massacres in Russia or murders in the Philippines. Hence we favor an early declaration of our purpose in the Philippines and oppose the repeal of the 14th or 15th amendment.

The reading was frequently interrupted by applause. The reference to the election of senators by the people, the demand for a reduction in the hours of labor and for the prohibition of the labor of the very young in the factories, were received with marked approval. The report of the committee was unanimously adopted, amid cheers.

When Hon. Charles S. Hamlin stood up by his seat to nominate Col. W. A. Gaston for governor, he was given an ovation. He presented the name of the man who last year was the nominee for governor.

HAMLIN'S SPEECH.

Hon. Charles S. Hamlin, in presenting the name of Colonel Gaston, said in part:

"When I witness the enthusiasm of this convention, and see the faces of the delegates filled with determination and confidence I can only believe that the tide of democracy has turned and that we are on the eve of victory.

"The democrats of Massachusetts are assembled in convention to nominate its candidates for state offices; tomorrow the republicans gather for the same purpose. The two parties will join issue, and the people must decide between them.

"It is not my purpose here to discuss the issues of the campaign—that must be reserved for other occasions. The republican party at the proper time must defend its record, both state and national; and that record I believe not to be consistent with the principles of the immortal Lincoln, nor with the underlying principles of our government expressed in the constitution.

"In fact, I can find little in the present practices of the republican party suggestive of its origin, except its name.

"Since our memorable gains of last year, our party has not been idle. Whether we shall continue to gain and achieve victory depends now upon the individual as well as upon the organization.

"We enter upon this campaign with confidence that at the end when the votes are counted there will be genuine surprises for our republican friends, but we ask all work incessantly, and I shall ask no one to work harder in this campaign than I propose to work myself. With vigorous effort beginning now and ending on election day, we may approach the result with perfect confidence.

"The honor has been assigned to me of placing in nomination our leader for the fight. It is not necessary for me to describe him to you at this time, for you all know him; nor is it necessary to speak of his standing in the community, his successful life or his position at the bar. I can say, and will say, however, that when he enters upon the duties of his office he will have but one client—the Commonwealth and the people of Massachusetts.

"I present to this convention as its candidate for the office of governor, the name of William A. Gaston."

His speech was one which aroused the enthusiasm of the delegates. Mention of the name of Gaston was received with great cheers.

Ex-Mayor O'Connell of Worcester seconded the nomination and it was made by acclamation.

Hon. John C. Burke of Lowell placed Richard Olney, 2d, of Leicester, in nomination for lieutenant governor, and after a seconding speech from Representative John A. Coulthurst of Boston this nomination was also made by acclamation.

The committee on "the balance of the ticket" reported as follows:

For secretary of state, Ezekiel M. Ezekiel of Springfield.

For attorney general, John J. Flaherty of Gloucester.

For treasurer, Thomas C. Thatcher of Yarmouth.

For auditor, F. X. Tetrault of Southbridge.

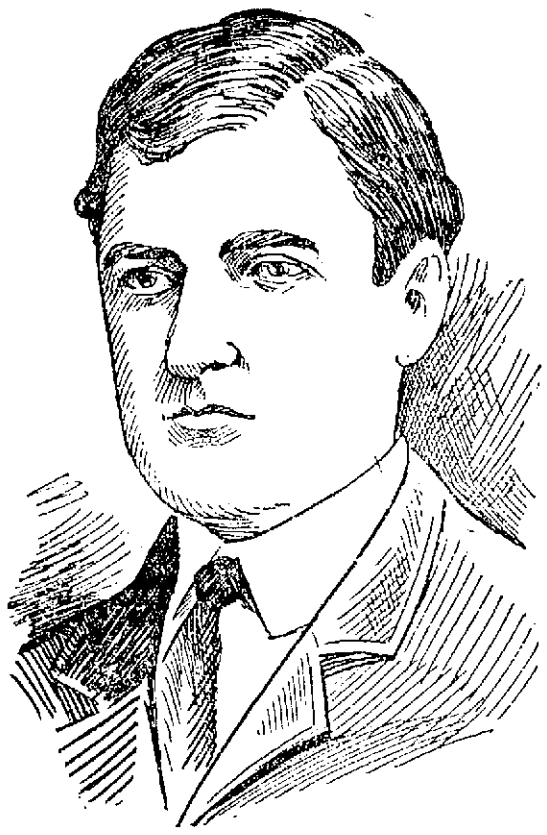
The report was accepted by acclamation.

A committee at this point appeared escorting Mr. Gaston the nominee for governor, before the convention. His reception by the delegates was most flattering. After three times three cheers had been given, Mr. Gaston spoke briefly. He said that he believed this to be a democratic year and that he believed the obligation to be on the delegates and himself to place the democratic party in the same position in which it was when the late William E. Russell was made governor.

When Mr. Gaston had concluded, calls were made for Olney. The delegates refused to be satisfied until Mr. Olney was found and brought into the convention hall. He was greeted with three cheers, led by the nominee for governor. He spoke briefly, thanking the delegates for the honor conferred upon him.

John R. Thayer, of Worcester, and Thomas J. Gargan also spoke.

The convention then adjourned.



RICHARD OLNEY, 2D.

CHARLES W. BARTLETT.

MRS. MANSON GUILTY

OF THE MURDER OF MRS. WILSON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PUTNAM, Conn., Oct. 1.—After 10 hours' deliberation, a jury in the superior court today, returned a verdict of manslaughter against Mrs. Mary Manson, who has been on trial charged with the murder of Mrs. Julia A. Wilson, by poisoning. An indeterminate sentence of not less than eight years and not more than ten years in state prison was imposed, with a nominal fine of $1. The prisoner received the verdict calmly.

Mrs. Manson formerly lived at the home of Mrs. Wilson as housekeeper. It was discovered after Mrs. Wilson's death that she had been poisoned by arsenic, and Mrs. Manson was charged with the crime. As a motive the state alleged that Mrs. Manson desired to get possession of Mrs. Wilson's property through the latter's son, George Wilson, whose attentions to Mrs. Manson were frowned upon by the mother. The defence made a general denial of the allegation.

TRADE COUNCIL

DEMANDS THE IMPEACHMENT OF GOV. PEABODY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., Oct. 1—Resolutions have been adopted by the Colorado Springs Federated Trades Council calling on the citizens of the state, regardless of occupation, to demand the impeachment of Governor Peabody, for sending the militia to Cripple Creek during a time of profound peace. A committee was appointed to arrange for a mass meeting to take action.

RELEASED ON BAIL

NEWSPAPER MEN GIVEN THEIR FREEDOM.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VICTOR, Col., Oct. 1—At a late hour last night Editor Kaynor, Circulator Sweet and C. G. and F. W. Langdon, linotype operators of the Victor Record staff, who were arrested yesterday by the military, were turned over to the civil authorities and released on bonds of $1000 each. They at once resumed work in the Record office. They are charged with malicious libel, but it is said that other charges will be made against them today.

ESCAPED DEATH

RANCH OWNER STRUCK BY A TRAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NACO, Ariz., Oct. 1—J. W. Dooley, a ranch owner, was knocked on the head and robbed by highwaymen last night. The robbers then carried his body to the railroad tracks, expecting him to be killed. Dooley was struck by a train, but escaped instant death. He was taken to a hospital at Bisbee. At last accounts he was dying but had recovered consciousness long enough to tell his story.

FOR MANSLAUGHTER

GUCKES IS ON TRIAL IN BOSTON TODAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 1—To the charge of manslaughter in the killing of his companion, Edward Fuchs, by the discharging of a gun in Roslindale woods yesterday, Herman Guckes pleaded not guilty in the court at Jamaica Plains, today, and his case was continued until October 5. He was held in bonds of $2500.

WAS SHANGHAIED

Charge Made by Spanish War Vet

By Associated Press to The Sun

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Oct. 1.—George Dodge of Newburyport, Mass., a veteran of the Spanish-American war, arrived here yesterday with a story of an experience, the details of which have been placed in the hands of government officials at Washington for investigation.

Dodge, who has followed the sea for the past two years, claims that he, with two others, were shanghaied at Baltimore, Md., on the 20th of August, and shipped on board the British steamer Oxus, which is engaged in the fruit carrying trade.

According to his story, they were induced to ship through the advice of the keeper of the sailors' boarding house where they were stopping, who negotiated with them on behalf of the captain of the vessel for a trip to Bordeaux, France, and return, covering 15 days, with half a month's pay advanced.

After the vessel put to sea they learned that from Bordeaux the vessel was to proceed to the English shores, where new boilers were to be put in, and that $15 apiece "blood money," which was paid to the boarding house keeper for inducing them to ship, was to come out of their pay, so that there would be practically nothing coming to them.

When the vessel arrived at Bordeaux, Dodge, who was on duty in the anchor watch, jumped overboard and swam ashore. He sought out United States Consul Tourgee, who sent him to Southampton, Eng., with a letter to the United States consul at that port, where he was provided with passage on the American liner St. Louis, arriving in New York last Saturday.

Dodge was cook for company G, 1st New Hampshire volunteers, in the Spanish-American war, and afterward accompanied the 12th New York regiment to Cuba as officers' cook. He exhibits a letter from Consul Tourgee and other papers in substantiation of his story.

HOME MISSIONARY

CONVENTION OPENED AT MANCHESTER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANCHESTER, N. H., Oct. 1.—At St. Paul's M. E. church today, with a large attendance representing all the Methodist churches of New Hampshire and part of Massachusetts, the Woman's Home Missionary society of the M. E. church opened its 18th annual meeting.

Mrs. C. H. Farnsworth of Manchester is president, Mrs. F. R. Hillard of Lawrence, Mass., recording secretary, Mrs. E. B. Savage of Lawrence, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Alvin Young of Sunapee, treasurer. The reports showed the organization to be in an excellent condition. A feature of the afternoon session was an address by Miss Alice M. Guernsey, the national secretary. The meeting closes tonight.

CORN FOR PHILIPPINES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 1.—The superintendent of the Mint has just delivered to the War department 2,000,000 pesos for the Philippines. The coin was taken from the mint under military escort and transferred to the transport Sherman which sails today for Manila.

HAROLD LESLIE DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

AUGUSTA, Me., Oct. 1—Harold Leslie of Boston, well known in musical and theatrical circles, and in recent years manager of the Sir Charles Hotel at Craigs Point, Lake Maranacook, died suddenly Wednesday evening of acute indigestion.

C. J. MULHOLLAND - - Cash Grocer

Smoked Shoulders	8½c lb.	Good Beans	7c can
Best Butter	25c lb.	Best Ketchup small size, 3 btls. for	25c
Best Potatoes	17c pk.	Lenox Soap	7 bars 25c
Our Best Teas	50c lb.	Loose Starch	6c lb., 5 lbs 25c.
Our Choice Teas	35c lb.	None Such Mince Meat	3 pkgs 25c.
Our Best Coffees	30c lb.	Choice California Prunes	6 lbs. 25c.
Choice Peas	9c can, 3 cans 25c.		

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Special Two Days' Sale—Friday and Saturday.

The Very Best Flour	65c Bag
The Very Best Potatoes	17c Peck; 65c Bushel
Fancy Smoked Shoulders	8c lb.
Excellent Hamburg Steak	7c lb.
Very Best Spare Ribs	6c lb.
Pea Beans	8c lb.
Mixed Pork	8c lb.
10c Bag Salt	5c
3 lb. can Peaches	10c
3 lb. can Tomatoes	9c
100 Common Crackers	15c
2 lbs. Kennedy's Ginger Snaps	9c
Snaps	9c
Kennedy's Nic Nac Crackers	5c lb.
Kennedy's Lemon Crackers	5c lb.
Kennedy's Fig Bars	10c lb.
Pure Coffee	15c lb.
The Very Best Pure Java and Mocha Coffee	25c lb.

EXTRA SPECIALS—One package of Zu Zu Snaps and one package Uneeda Milk Biscuit, 5c.

All goods guaranteed. Prompt delivery to all parts of Lowell and vicinity.

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LIABILITY ACT

B. & M. Employes Declare It Weak

Hearing at State House on Relations of Employers and Employes in Regard to Accidents, Disability, Pension Funds and Insurance

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 1.—The special commission appointed by the legislature to consider the relations between employers and employes gave a hearing at the state house today on employers' liability, disability or pension funds and workingmen's insurance. Colonel Carroll D. Wright, chairman, presided.

Frank K. Foster, representing the American Federation of Labor, said he thought the laboring man who was injured should not be compelled to prove that he was in the exercise of due care, but that this should rather be a matter for the defence to prove. The average laboring man was at enough of a disadvantage in legal proceedings against powerful employing interests and employers insurance companies. The question of due care on the part of an employe should be one of fact and not of law. The voluntary assumption of risk clause, Mr. Foster said, is a weak point in the employers' liability act of Great Britain.

Charles E. Baker, a freight conductor on the Boston & Maine railroad, said that the employer liability act of the present is weak in that it does not seek to prevent accident; the laws should aim to prevent injury not to provide damages.

Mr. S. A. Fuller said he thought some change should be made in the statutes which would impose upon employers the duty of seeing to it that proper appliances were used in construction work. He thought the employers' liability act should be put in the plainest possible language so that the courts would not misconstrue it.

The hearing will be continued tomorrow.

BANK TROUBLE

Greenfield Bank Calls in Examiner

By Associated Press to The Sun

GREENFIELD, Mass., Oct. 1—In response to a telephone message from the officials of the Packard National bank the suspension of which was announced last night, National Bank Examiner F. L. Fish of Vergennes, Vt., arrived here early today. Mr. Fish said he had come in answer to a call by telephone from the bank officials last evening. The comptroller of the currency at Washington had been notified that the bank is in trouble. He had yet received no authority from him to make an examination and he would do nothing until he received orders.

A few withdrawals were made from the savings bank today, but there was nothing in the nature of a run, and considerable money was deposited there. The officials of the savings bank state that even in case there should be a run the institution would be easily able to pay all who wished to withdraw.

A telegram was received from comptroller of the currency at Washington at noon appointing Examiner Fish temporary receiver.

He at once began to work.

BAKERS' STRIKE

TAUNTON DOUGH MIXERS QUIT WORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TAUNTON, Mass., Oct. 1—As the result of the action of the members of the local bakers' union, who are on a strike at the Quigley Brothers' bakery, the drivers in the employ of the concern, went out today in sympathy with the bakers.

TRIO INDICTED

IN THE POST OFFICE CASES TODAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—The federal grand jury which has been investigating the post office cases today brought in an indictment against George W. Beavers, formerly chief of the division of salaries and allowances of the post office department, and Stephen G. A. Green of New York, on the charge of conspiracy and two indictments against Scott Stevens, who is in charge of a sub-post office station in this city on the charge of taking a commission on the sale of typewriters to the government.

JEWS SURPRIZED

Found Themselves at Anarchists' Meeting

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Three thousand men, women and children, mostly of the Jewish race, who crowded Cooper Union in the expectation of celebrating Yom Kipper, have experienced a sad surprise.

They went to the hall in good numbers because there was a fee to be paid at synagogue services and admission at Cooper Union was free.

It happened, however, that the hall had been engaged by the Free Society, an organization composed exclusively of anarchists and instead of religious services in commemoration of the destruction of the Temple of Jerusalem, holy days were denounced by the speakers, who ridiculed Jewish customs and beliefs. The second speaker talked in Yiddish and the crowd then understood the nature of the meeting fully for the first time. His diatribe on the Hebrews was followed by a scramble for the door.

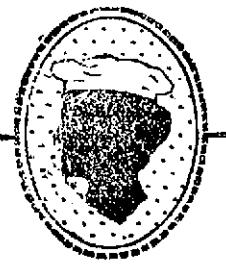
Many loud protests were uttered and the police, who were on hand in numbers, were called upon to stop the proceedings. They had no instructions on this point, however, and the Jews marched out in a body, denouncing the anarchists as they went.

ON JEROME'S TIP

NEW POLICE CAPTAIN MADE A RAID.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Mr. Jerome's "tip" has been taken and by Police Capt. Burfeind. The new ruler of the tenderloin descended upon an alleged gambling house in the very heart of his precinct yesterday and captured tables, faro layouts and chips. In West Thirty-first street Capt. Burfeind found the establishment which Mr. Jerome had pointed out so clearly in a recent interview as being "equipped with iron bars for effect, the entrance to which was through the tailoring establishment." Capt. Burfeind found the conditions as the district attorney had represented so far as the bars and the entrance were concerned. It was a raid sensational in that it asked sledge hammers and axes. Capt. Burfeind made the raid with drawing-room politeness, but it resulted in two arrests being made and the capture of two wagon loads of gambling paraphernalia.



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FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITIONS

STOLE STEEL PANELS

Wilmington Man Charged With Taking $200 Worth

Two Missing Girls Found in Boston—Man Who Deserted His Family in Fall River Arrested Here

Inspector Laflamme of this city and Inspector Rooney of Boston, this forenoon arrested Andrew Greis of Wilmington, on a warrant sworn out by Mr. Sagenhorph, manager of the Pennsylvania Metal Ceiling and Roofing company.

The warrant charges Greis with the larceny of metal panels valued at $200. He was employed in the work of remodeling the basement of St. Patrick's church. Inspector Rooney took him to Boston this afternoon.

MISSING GIRL FOUND.

Nellie Druce, the girl who disappeared from her home in South Lowell Sunday afternoon, is in Boston and will be brought home today. She called at the headquarters of the Young Women's Christian Association in that city in company with Minnie Paul of Auburn street, this city, at 9.30 last night and both girls are being cared for at that institution. Their parents have been notified.

DESERTED WIFE AND FAMILY.

William Dundale, wanted by the Fall River police for deserting his wife and family in that city about 17 months ago, was arrested in this city last night. Dundale has been living in Appleton street under the name of Joseph Lee.

He admitted when taken to the police station that he is the man wanted in Fall River. He has not contributed a cent toward the support of his family since he left Fall River. An officer from that city came to Lowell this afternoon and returned with Dundale.

SAFE--BLOWER

Member of Bad Gang Belongs in Lowell

Inspectors Donaldson and Laflamme today discovered that James Blake, alias James Burke, one of the four men arrested in the western part of the state a week ago, is a Lowell man. His name is James Lombard and he was a criminal nineteen years ago. He is 38 years old.

The four men are supposed to be part of the gang that has made the lives of country postmasters and station agents miserable for the last year or so. They were loaded down with burglars tools when arrested.

The police are not sure that Lombard was born here, but they do know that he was convicted of larceny in this city in 1884 and sentenced to the house of correction for a term of ten months. He was then 18 years old and was photographed for the rogues gallery at that time.

Despite the fact that quite an armful of years have elapsed since he was first arrested in this city, his picture taken at that time and a picture taken a few days ago bear a very definite resemblance. The mouth is a bit more vulgar now but the nose, eyes and ears have not undergone much of a change. Lombard has a record. On April 29, 1899, he participated in a safe-blowing job at Ashburnham and was subsequently arrested in Boston and sentenced to four years in the state prison. At that time he gave his name as John Lombard.

KEEPING HENS

Must Not Keep Them Within City Limits

Without Written License From the Board of Health—Judge Hadley So Ruled Today

That much talked of hen case in which Moses I. Collins of Coral street was the defendant came up on continuance in police court this forenoon.

The defendant was charged with keeping fowl within the city limits in violation of a city ordinance and without a license from the board of health.

Jerome F. Manning appeared for the commonwealth and D. J. Donahue for the defendant. Mr. Donahue admitted that the defendant kept six hens within the city limits and attacked the ordinance, declaring that the case was based upon an ordinance invalid. He claimed that the city council has no more to say about where hen shall be kept than it has to do with the collection of ashes. The ordinance had been practically repealed, he said, by the delegation of the power to the board of health; the power to regulate the keeping of swine, sheep and poultry within the city limits. The board, he said, has the power to make its own rules and regulations and prescribe how such rules and regulations are carried out, and that if there was any violation at all it was a violation of a rule of the board of health not of an ordinance.

Mr. Manning said the board of health was responsible for the absurdity of the contention offered by the defence.

He said Mr. Donahue had been in very close communion with the agent of the board since the birth of the case.

Agent Knapp was in court and in the course of his remarks, Mr. Manning said he did not see why the agent of the board should be present in defence of a man charged with violating an ordinance.

He read the section that Mr. Donahue claimed was repealed, section 15, and stated that if that was repealed, the present board of health was illegally elected and if that was so, and if the board wanted to do the square thing, the members and their agent would have to turn back every cent of money they have received since the beginning of their illegal term in office.

Mr. Manning read a letter from Mr. Knapp stating that chapter 22 of the city ordinance has been repealed.

He did not believe that the defendant should be allowed to escape under cover of technical distinction. He said it was treating with levity the rights of the people to come into court and say that a whole chapter of the city ordinance, covering so many important items, has gone by the board, and to offer an argument proper only in the superior or superior courts. "I am here," continued Mr. Manning, "by request of Deputy Supt. Welch to appear for the commonwealth."

Judge Hadley suggested that he would allow the case to go to the superior court on a question of law. He did not want to put the government in a box. If he found in support of Mr. Donahue's contention the government, having no appeal, would be helpless and in view of this determination on the part of the court Mr. Donahue went from the matter of law to the matter of fact and called on his witnesses.

Agent Knapp of the board of health was the first witness. Mr. Manning objected to Mr. Knapp giving the court the details in the case in hand. The court finally decided to hear Mr. Knapp's story, but did not hear it in detail, because he said the only question was relative to a license.

Mr. Knapp told of the complainants going to him and making their complaints, of an investigation by an inspector, and the latter's report. He said the nuisance was not such as to call for an abatement. He said Mr. Collins had applied for a license to keep hens.

The question came as to whether a license had been granted by the board of health and there was no license. Judge Hadley ruled that a license issued by the board of health should be in evidence and in its absence he found the defendant guilty and imposed a fine of $10. An appeal was entered.

OTHER CASES.

John Flynn, for drunkenness, was fined $6.00; four boys charged with obstructing the street were given a certain lecture and allowed to go.

JOSIAH BUTLER

Was Married at Tufts College

Miss Gertrude Knight of Professors' row and Mr. Josiah Butler of Lowell were married at Goddard chapel, College Hill, last evening. The auditorium was decorated with palms and Easter lilies and thronged with guests, there being present many members of the Tufts faculty and board of trustees, the ladies of Professors' row, a host of alumni and alumnae of the college, besides a large number of guests from a distance.

Both the bride and groom are graduates of the Medford college, class of 1901. The bride is the second daughter of Prof. George T. Knight of Tufts divinity school. During her college course she was very prominent socially and in dramatic and literary circles. She was a member of the Alpha Kappa Gamma Society. The groom is a wealthy young manufacturer. While at Tufts he made a reputation as a student and athlete. He belonged to the Theta Delta Chi fraternity, was manager of the Tufts track team and played centre on the 'varsity football eleven.

The maid of honor was the bride's sister, Miss Isabel G. Knight, Tufts '99, of College Hill, and the best man the groom's old college chum, Alfred P. Hensted, Tufts, '01, of Albany, N. Y. The bridesmaids, all college companions of the bride, were Misses Amy L. Cole of Somerville, Margaret Fay of Tufts and Florence Charlton and Bertha Perham of Somerville. The ushers, all Tufts graduates, were Messrs. Otis M. Burrage of San Francisco, Thomas S. Knight of Pittsburg, Pa., Daniel Mackenzie of Lowell and J. Francis Berry of Mattapan.

The bride was attired in a wedding gown which was worn by her aunt 50 years ago. It was of white brocade, trimmed with chiffon and duchesse point. She carried roses. The maid of honor wore a lace trimmed gown and carried roses and maidenhair fern. All the bridesmaids were dressed in pale green liberty silk. Their roses were McKitchy Favorites.

Professor Capen performed the ceremony and Charles Anthony of Professors' row presided at the organ. A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents on Professors' row. Mr. and Mrs. Butler will reside in Lowell.

"LADIES' NIGHT."

The second in the series of "ladies' nights" will be observed at the Mathew Temperance institute's quarters this evening. The Middlesex orchestra will furnish music.

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82 LAWRENCE STREET.

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SPECIAL NOTICES

MASON FRUIT JARS—We have a few left; pints, 60c; quarts, 65c; half gallons, 85c, and double trading stamps, either blue or green. Dickson's Tea Store, 68 Merrimack street.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The two o'clock and five o'clock editions of The Sun are on sale every day at both newsstands in the Union station, Boston.

HELP WANTED

WANTED Woman to do light housework and care for two children. Apply 131 Colling street.

WANTED Carpenters. Apply at once to D. F. Lord, Soldiers field, Brighton, Mass.

WANTED A few more ladies to bead slippers. 13 East Merrimack street, one flight up.

WANTED—Barber at once, steady job. Call Parsells, 21 Middlesex street.

WANTED Girl to do light housework at once. Call 16 Bartlett street.

WANTED—A thoroughly competent house girl, must be a good cook and laundress; this is a good place for the right party. Inquire at 541 Stratford St.

WANTED Reliable woman to work in a small boarding house. Apply Mrs. E. A. Hall, Cottage row, North Chelmsford.

WANTED—Young people to do copying at home, no deception; send stamp. Standard Supply Co., Box 228, Worcester, Mass.

WANTED—Meat cutter as a partner in the meat business; we have the horse and cart. Call after 7 p. m. 133 Merrimack street, room 2.

BARBER WANTED at T. J. Smith's, 284 Fayette street; steady job.

WANTED Girl for general housework in family of three. Inquire 70 Willow St.

WANTED A wet nurse without baby. Apply 10 Cabot street.

WANTED—A girl to assist in housework. Apply 6 Elliot street.

WANTED Comb tenders, Bill box tenders and card room help; also two section hands for the combing room; good wages for experienced help. Address box 35, Barre Plains, Mass.

WANTED—Man to work on farm; must be temperate and understand care of poultry. Call at 38 Middlesex street, room 18.

WANTED—Young men to learn pulling over. Apply at Stover & Bean's, Hood building, Thorndike street.

WANTED—Six good carpenters. Apply at H Wilson street or 139 D street.

WANTED—Person to call on retail trade for manufacturing house; local territory; salary $18 75, paid weekly; expense money advanced; previous experience unnecessary; business successful; inclose self-addressed envelope. Standard house, Chicago.

WANTED—A good kitchen woman at 125 Liberty street. Wm. W. Boardman.

WANTED—A middle-aged woman to keep house for two people and one child; good home to the right party. Call this evening and Sunday, rear 121 High street.

WANTED Two industrious men of sober habits; salary and commission; greatest chance ever offered for rapid promotion. Call between 4.30 and 5.30 p. m., No. 5 Grosvenor block. J. J. Whelton, asst. manager.

WANTED—A second girl at 79 Appleton street.

WANTED—An old lady to take care of two children. Apply at 1 Concord place.

WANTED—Reliable men, over 30 years of age, to represent us in Hampden county; good permanent position; references. C. R. Burr & Co., nurserymen, Hartford, Conn.

WANTED Girl to do general housework in family of four persons; good wages. Address G., Sun office.

WANTED Housegirl at Employment office, 581 Gorham street.

WANTED—Ex agents of the John Hancock, Prudential and Metropolitan Insurance companies will hear something to their advantage by calling at 39 Elliott street from 7 to 8 p. m. Inquire J. T. Fitzgerald.

WANTED—Experienced girls to make paper boxes. Apply C. F. Hatch & Co., 75 Church street.

GIRLS WANTED

For electrical work; age 16 to 22 years.

Apply or write Supt. General Electric Co., West Lynn, Mass.

TO LET

TO LET—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping; rent $2.25 per week. Apply 19 Hurd street.

TO LET—Tenement of seven rooms at 32 Cady street. Apply 31 Gorham street.

TO LET—Modern nine-room house on Dover street; large yard, fruit and shrubbery, splendid neighborhood. Will be vacant Oct. 1. E. H. White, 137 Central street.

TO LET—One large furnished room on first floor, another room up two flights, on First street. Apply at Sun office.

TO LET—Steam heated rooms, gas and bath at 159 Gorham street.

TO LET—Pleasant upstair tenement of 7 rooms; pantry, bath and good piazza; separate doors; at 339 Fairmount street, junction of Rogers. Apply 341.

TO LET A 5 room tenement with bath, hot and cold water. Inquire at 42 Barker street.

TO LET—Tenement of six rooms and bath at 256 Moore street; good location; rent $16.

TO LET—Cottage house on Batchelder's court. Key and information at next door.

TO LET—Our aim is to furnish tidy, attractive tenements to quiet, self-respecting families at the lowest possible cost; if you are looking for a tenement that is pleasant and healthful, with good neighbors and at the same time is low in price, call and see us. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

TO LET—Tenement at 1 Branch place; rent $13. Inquire 25 Wells street.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND Stray horse, chestnut with bob tail, two white feet, white spot on forehead. Owner can have by calling at 271 Allen street.

FOUND A Boston terrier bitch. Owner can have by proving property. Edward McLaughlin, Lowell road, Nashua, N. H.

LOST Down town, Tuesday, a white and brown water spaniel; collar marked Dandy Dudley, 55 Newtonville avenue, Newton, Mass. Please send information to 54 Marlborough street, city.

LOST In Middlesex street station, a bill book containing a sum of money, B. & M. trip book and gold locket. Reward at 45 Marginal street.

LOST Bill book on Tuesday evening, containing sum of money and deposit check on John Hancock Insurance Co. Reward for return to 51 First street.

LOST Sept. 29 on Middlesex street between Gooch's restaurant and Central street, $5 bill. Return to Sun office and receive reward.

FOUND A silver watch. Owner can have by calling on Mr. Brick, Elsmere, Dracut, Mass., after 7 p. m., proving property and paying advertisement.

TWO FRAUDS.

The merchant who would try to sell a pair of shoes without opening the box in which they came from the factory, would be regarded as a fraud and a trickster, and the newspaper which denies to the advertiser all the information he desires in reference to its circulation, must not expect the confidence of its patrons.

FOR SALE

AUCTION SALE Thursday, Oct. 8, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, fine line of household furniture at 21 Powell street, near Shaw hosiery.

FOR SALE—Carload of new milch cows and springers from Vermont. Jason Fuller's farm, Wamesit, Mass.

FOR SALE—Fine cabinet $95 organ; good as new; $45, easy terms; $35 cash. Room 2, No. 13 Merrimack square.

FOR SALE—New White and Household sewing machines, wholesale price; one good White $10, one Domestic $3. Room 2, No. 13 Merrimack square.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred B. P. Rock and R. I. Red pullets cheap. 12 Vincent, Amesbury street, Elsmere, Dracut. Call day time.

FOR SALE Oldsmobile 1902 model, emergency brake, has been but little used. Inquire Upton & Gilman's, Middlesex St.

FOR SALE—An open end spring piano box heavy. Apply 79 Royal street.

FOR SALE—Bay pacer and pneumatic wagon. Call at room 15, Bon Marche.

FOR SALE—Parlor stove, almost new. Apply Joseph Cote, 17 Davis street, Pawtucketville.

FOR SALE—Portable pool and billiard table, suitable for home use; will sell cheap if taken at once. Inquire No. 19 Sydney street.

FOR SALE—Restaurant doing a good business; a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 69 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—Two nice male collie puppies, 4 months old, kind and affectionate; cheap to good home. Apply Billings' livery stable, Merrimack street, opposite Tremont.

FOR SALE—A variety store situated in a good business neighborhood, established trade of seven years; an exceptionally fine place for one who dressmaker; poor health of owner reason for selling. For all particulars, terms, etc., inquire of J. R. Donovan, room 1, Swan block, 26 Central street. It may be your opportunity.

RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices, 1-in. one line stamps 15c; 1½ in., 20c; 3-6 ink pads, 25c; 25c ink pads, 15c; 50c linen markers, 25c; business stamps, 15c. per line. J. M. Fellows, 159 Merrimack St.

MISCELLANEOUS

IF YOU WANT your mattresses made over at your home call at 940 Central St.

PARISIAN MILLINERY—Mrs. A. Van Hise, 95 Gates street; opening Friday and Saturday; choice line of trimmed hats and latest millinery novelties.

DR. A. THOMPSON'S Prevention and Cure is as harmless as bread; you can't take cold if you try; you don't know you are taking medicine. For sale at all druggists, 25c per bottle.

IF YOU WANT to sell your house or farm let me hear from you quickly; if you want fire, life or accident and sickness insurance, it will pay you well to know what I can give you. M. J. Sharkey, Swan's building, 26 Central street.

MRS. FLETCHER, 769 Gorham street, trance Business medium and card reader.

J. W. GREENLAW, carpenter and general jobber, 58 Middle street, Lowell, Mass. Telephone 536-13.

PINK GLORIA—Look out for imitations and don't be an easy mark for frauds. Doyle Bros. Telephone.

PRIVATE LESSONS in English given to those who desire for 25 cents an hour; also lessons in drawing and painting for children; oils, water colors or crayon; 25 cents an hour; hours from 10 a. m. to 9 p. m. Miss Wilkins, 150 Andover street.

TEXTILE SCHOOL TABLETS and stationery at S. A. Garsen's, successor to E. A. Burgess, stationer and newsdealer, 3 Central street, Lowell.

BUY YOUR HAT at Delorme's, where you can have it cleaned free of charge for one year. Repairing a specialty. 701 Middlesex street.

MADAME LENORE, clairvoyant and card reader, corner Lawrence and Tyler streets. Ladies 25c., gentlemen 50c. Hours 10 a. m. to 12 and 2 to 10 p. m.

LANDSCAPE GARDENER and fort grading. Apply M. J. Bloomfield, 34 West Fourth street.

THE COLONIAL COLLEGE of Dramatic Arts, Swan building; acting, elocution, oratory, dramatic literature. Call or write for prospectus.

MICHAEL SCHWARTZ, corner Market and Palmer streets, makes all kinds of shoes for cripples and deformed feet at lowest prices; also all kinds of repairing done in first-class manner.

SAVE MONEY by buying your wall papers and having your paperhanging done at D. Baker & Co.'s, 150 Gorham St. We will paper your room with gilt paper for $2. Good workmanship guaranteed; send postal, will call with samples.

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE bought and sold; also furniture moving done in a careful manner; always big bargains at our store. McGauvran Bros., Merrimack street, opp. City hall.

LADIES—Dr. LaFranco's Compound gives positive relief. Powerful combination. Used by 200,000 women. Price 25 cents. Druggists or by mail. Address LaFranco & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

MOTHERS—Rent's Destroyer kills lice on children and all insects. Cures dandruff and itching scalp. Prevents falling hair. Harmless, 25c. Only at Falls & Burkinshaw, 418 Middlesex street.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE Double house on East Merrimack street, near High; two baths. Particulars 9 Elm street.

WANTED

WANTED—Those little repairs on your house or other work in the carpenter jobbing line. Address Fogg, 11 Queen street.

NURSE A few more engagements; confinement cases specialty. Mrs. Linehan, 129 Hale street.

WANTED—To buy home in the city for cash; only those that wish to sell and sell low need apply. Box 436, city.

LADIES wishing to make their own dresses will now have the opportunity to learn the Penley Dress Cutting System at 62 London street. Come now.

WANTED—Amateur photographers to know that this is the best place in town to have your work done. Price Right, Work Right. Special attention given to retouching, viewing and mechanical work of all kinds. Open evenings, 7 to 9. A. Ernest Clark, photographer, 88 Middle St.

MONEY TO LOAN

PAWNBROKER—Money to loan; money loaned on all valuable articles, clothing; rates reasonable. A. Stein, 343 Middlesex street, Lowell, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 5, Swan building, 26 Central street.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security. Boarding houses, retail merchants, and salaried people; easy payments; lowest rates in city. Merrimack Loan Co., 25 Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters, boarding houses without security; easy payments; largest business in 42 principal cities. Tolman, Room 26, Associate building.

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YOUNG LADY wants employment in office or as salesgirl; experienced; can also operate typewriter. Address box 9, Sun office.

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WANTED Situation at light housework. Address 52 Bridge street.

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SWORN CIRCULATION FOR SEPTEMBER

The sworn daily average circulation of the Lowell Sun for the month of September, 1903, was **14,632** A gain of 1125 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, Oct. 1, 1903.

WILLIAM A. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

Gaston and Olney. There's victory in the combination.,

First blood for Pittsburg, but Boston still has a chance.

The enthusiasm that marked the proceedings of yesterday's democratic convention was an absent feature of the republican gathering.

The ticket is named. Now get to work on the check lists. Let every eligible democrat be registered and the November vote will testify to the strength of the party in this city.

The republicans had their usual county convention fight. Now it's for the democrats to select strong men for the county offices and make a fight as vigorous as that which will be waged throughout the state.

FEMALE STUMP ORATORS.

It would seem from the results attained by the recent experiment that the female stump orator will not be considered as a potent factor in the political contests of the future. We believe in affording women every opportunity to enter the various fields of industry and the professions, but we really feel that a woman on the stump in a political campaign is very much out of place.

THE DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.

The platform adopted by the democratic state convention is one that will commend itself to every thinking man in the state. It is a practical declaration of sound principles that must appeal to the people at large. The candidates who have been chosen to make the fight on this platform are men of unquestioned ability in their respective professions, men who will win the confidence of the people and who if elected, will administer the affairs of state in a business like manner, regardless of political conditions and with a view only to keeping the old Bay State in the front rank where she belongs. The platform comes out strongly for home rule in cities; it charges, and properly too, that the republican party has assumed a position directly opposed to the welfare and best interests of Massachusetts.

On the question of popular rights, the platform is solid, direct and patriotic. With such candidates and a platform, framed for the whole people, unhampered by partisanship, yet thoroughly democratic, the state of Massachusetts should return to the democratic column as in days of the lamented Russell, when democrats ruled with a conservatism and patriotism that commanded the respect and admiration of the entire country.

NO DISCRIMINATION.

It has been openly asserted that the water board is extremely partial in dealing with the corporations of the city, and that they have made concessions to the corporations which they would not make to ordinary consumers. If this charge is not refuted it leaves the water board in a very unenviable position. There should be no preferences in dealing out the city water. All should be treated alike. The water board makes an extra discount to large consumers, which we believe is contrary to the spirit of municipal government. It would be just as reasonable to say that the heaviest taxpayers should have a lower rate per thousand. How would it seem if the United States government were to sell postage stamps at a discount to large consumers; and yet the idea of selling water which is pumped at the public expense, at different prices per thousand gallons is just as absurd. It is an unjust discrimination and we believe it is illegal. We do not see where the water board gets its authority to charge one person more for a thousand gallons of water than it does another, and we believe if the matter were taken to the courts the action of the board would be declared illegal. If any discrimination at all is made it should be in favor of the small consumer. The real purpose of distributing water is to serve the public and improve the public health.

If there is any concession to be made in the rate, we believe it should be in favor of the small tenement house consumer. The small family rate should be as low as possible, and the last rate to be lowered is that of the large consumer, who can well afford to pay for the water he uses. Besides there should be but one rate for quantity. We are not alone in the belief that the corporations feel that they can get any favor they ask from the Lowell water board. It is well known that the chairman of the board is extremely partial to the corporations. This may be because of the fact that he receives a great deal of his business from the corporations and it may not. But regardless of this, there are enough level-headed men on the board to see that the taxpayers and the corporations as well, receive justice, and nothing more or less. The taxpayers know when they are used unfairly, and they are pretty generally of the opinion that it is time for the water board to mend its ways in certain directions.

THE LABOR WAR.

Without entering into the question as to which side is right, or where lies the blame for the present disturbed condition of the labor market, it can safely be asserted that at no time in our history have the industries of the country been in a more dangerous condition than they are today. Nearly every business, trade and industry is affected by the labor war which is now raging throughout the length and breadth of the land. It is high time that some remedy for this unsettled condition should be found. Unless the remedy is applied, and applied quickly, the effect upon business will be injurious. True, there never was a battle where one side or the other was entirely in the wrong or where one side or the other did not go to extremes, but whatever the merits of the causes at issue it is plain to every observing person that the present conflict between capital and labor is developing into a bigger curse to this country than the Civil war, and we really believe it has already been far more costly to the people.

Another year of the present unsettled condition of our trades and industries would inflict lasting injury not only upon our domestic trade but more particularly upon our foreign commerce. It has been predicted by men of wide experience, gifted with that wisdom which sees far into the future, that unless the American employer and employe settle their differences very soon, they will lose the markets of the world. We produce today twice as much as we consume, and it is, therefore, necessary for us to have a foreign market for nearly all our products. Our foreign market has been extending gradually for the last ten years until we actually alarmed the powers of Europe. The Europeans, however, are just now watching our prolonged labor troubles with a great deal of satisfaction, and they agree that if the war continues long enough, they will have no need to fear American competition in the future. In view of this danger is it not time for the employer and employe to get together, settle their differences, and agree upon some basis that will be equitable to both and at the same time establish a condition of stability in our trades and industries that will make us once more the envy and terror of the foreign manufacturer.

HARVEST SUPPER

AT THE GRACE UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

The annual harvest supper of the parishioners of the Grace Universalist church, conducted under the auspices of the Grace Church Alliance, was held last night, and both in point of attendance and financial returns was a great success. A sumptuous repast was served in the vestry from 6 until 7.30 o'clock.

The matrons were Mrs. Abbott and Mrs. Dr. Wood. A large number sat down and enjoyed an excellent menu which was served under the direction of Mrs. Fred Brown.

Beginning at 8 o'clock, and for over an hour the following very pleasing program was carried out:

Solo, Osmond Long; violin solo, Miss Florence Nix; reading, "Bernado del Carpio," Miss Elizabeth Moore; violin solo, Miss Florence Nix; recitation, Miss Rhoda Deane; musical selections, Arthur Booth.

The entertainment was concluded with a screaming farce, entitled: "Fast Friends," in which the Misses Deane and Sadie Moore were the principals. These two clever young ladies kept the audience in roars of laughter, and their performances were one of the best features contributed to the entertainment.

THE CREATORE CONCERT.

All lovers of music should attend the concert Sunday evening, in Huntington hall, by Creatore, and his Italian band of sixty players. Creatore's programs are always pleasing and satisfying, but almost any one of the great numbers at a concert is said to be worth the price of the whole concert. For instance, his selection from Carmen, is a liberal concert alone, as it takes 26 minutes of time, and introduces the best solos and gems of the whole opera. There are several other opera selections of about the same length, and generally one of these finds a place on the program. The criticisms published from other journals revel in Creatore's playing of such numbers as the overtures to "Tannhauser" and William Tell," an organ offertorio, the sextette from "Lucia," and selections from various Italian operas, but these are praised so highly simply because they happened to be played at the time.

After one becomes acquainted with Creatore, the program is of secondary consequence, as it is the Creatore enthusiasm and dominating personality which overwhelms everything else and carries the audience off its feet. No one can describe it. One must see Creatore to realize what a wonderful person he is.

Flanagan's Singing Orchestra at Huntington hall tonight.

SEASON OPENS

THE LAW IS OFF IN AROOSTOOK COUNTY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

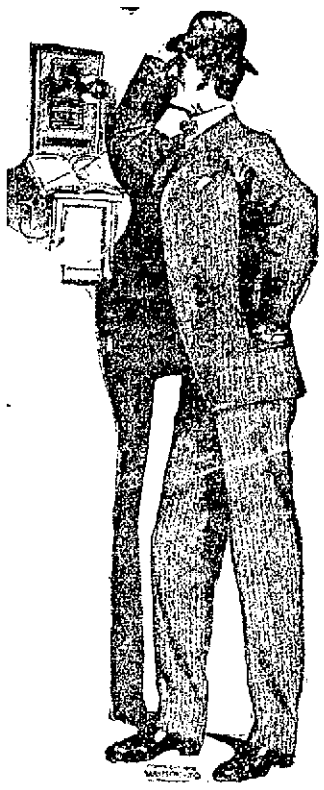
BANGOR, Me., Oct. 2—Up to the arrival of afternoon trains from the Aroostook game county, no deer had arrived here yesterday afternoon, the opening day of the game season.

FINGERS LACERATED.

John Butler, aged 18, an employee of the United States Bunting company, had his left hand caught in a gear while at work yesterday afternoon. Two fingers were badly lacerated. His injuries were dressed at the Emergency hospital.

PUTNAM & SON CO.

166 Central Street



There's been quick selling

all through the store for the past four weeks, but nothing has aroused so much enthusiasm as our remarkable collection of

Smart and stylish fall suits

There is a marked distinction about our suits this season—an individuality—that is altogether uncommon in ready-made. Instead of paying the price you've been accustomed to for a suit to measure, why not see how satisfactorily we can fit you with Rogers-Peet's clothes? You'll find their suits nearer to your fancy than any you've ever tried.

Men's Suits from Rogers, Peet & Co. A remarkable collection of the finest imported and domestic fabrics that we have ever exhibited. Unusal colorings in pure worsted cheviots, smooth faced worsteds, and the finest qualities of black Thibets and cheviots. Nothing equal to these suits in quality, style and fit, is shown elsewhere—ready-to-wear, $30, $28 $25 and **$20**

Men's Suits from our own workrooms in a very large variety of the new fall colorings, of worsted cheviots, fine black Thibets and cheviots and hard-faced pure worsted fabrics. Decidedly the greatest showing we have ever made.

These suits we believe to be equal to the best values to be had elsewhere for $18 to $20—all at **$15**

Men's Suits of the new worsted cheviots, all wool black Thibets and pure worsted black cheviots. Every suit properly cut and nicely trimmed and tailored in a thorough manner. Smart, stylish suits, equal in value to the suits ordinarily sold for $12 and $15—we offer in single or double breast sacks for **$10**

Young men's stunning suits

Nothing like this great collection of young men's suits has ever been shown in Lowell—made exclusively for young men 32 to 36 breast measure. Patterns entirely different from these in our men's stock; livelier and with more "go" to them; coats shorter; snugger fitting; trousers full at the hips; small at the foot—this line of young men's suits has been the greatest success of anything we ever introduced—single and double breast sacks as you prefer.

$8.00 for young men's.
The new fall cut sacks, in fancy cheviots and double breast black Thibets; coats cut with the new lapel, and smarter suits than you've ever seen for the price, $8.

$10 for young men's.
A splendid showing of the new fancy worsted cheviots, pure and fine black Thibets, either single or double breast, snug fitting collars, and broad shoulders to give more distinction to these suits than you find in many that cost five dollars more.

$15 for young men's suits, many of the lots from Rogers, Peet & Co. The most attractive collection of dashing new patterns that we have ever opened. In this line every garment is hand-tailored and splendidly finished. We have never seen such fine fitting clothing, and we think few merchant tailors no matter what they charge, can make suits that fit as well or have the smart appearance of these young men's suits for $15.

$18 and **$20** for young men's suits, made by Rogers, Peet & Co., from the choicest fabrics, and absolutely exclusive patterns. Not one of these styles can be found elsewhere ready-made. The young man who wears one of these suits has the satisfaction of knowing that the cloth and pattern are exactly such as go in to merchant tailor suits. The cost is about half what the tailor charges.

Boys' new and stylish winter suits

Norfolk Suits
with plaited jacket, plaid or knickerbocker trousers, and the new smart cut, two-piece suit; double breast jacket, with long roll. These leading styles for boys 8 years to 16 in Bannockburn cheviots, domestic cheviots and plain blue worsted cheviots from $3.50 to $9. We offer today specials in both Norfolk and double breast suits, for only **$2.00**

Russian Blouse Suits
for little boys 2 1-2 to 6 years of age—made with the new Eton collar or with deep sailor collar—plain or Knickerbocker breeches. The prettiest collection we have ever shown, in new cheviots and navy, and royal blue, brown and red serges, from $4 to $7. A special today in Russian blouse suits is offered for . . **$3.50**

Three-Piece Suits
for boys 9 years to 16. The smart cut college jacket, single breast, vest and short trousers. Made from fancy worsted cheviots, blue and black Thibets, heavy blue serges and plain black and blue worsted cheviots. New and most attractive suits, from $4 to $8. We offer a special today in three-piece suits, a neat fancy and a plain blue suit for **$3.00**

New Tams
The finest qualities of Mohair and Camel's Hair Tams shown. A wonderful collection of 21 new colors and pretty combinations, for boys and girls, 65c and **50c**

Boys' Sweaters
The largest stock of fine Sweaters we have ever shown—in worsted, and heavy wool, plain or with contrasting colors at neck, wrist and skirt, for $1.50, $1.00 and **38c**

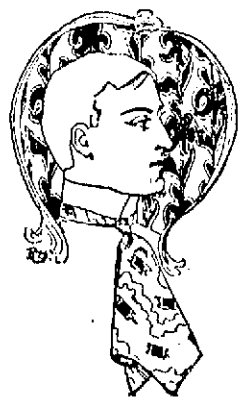
Fine Furnishings for fall

FINE STREET GLOVES

All of the new leathers in Fall colors; Perrin's fine street gloves, and imported English outseam cape. Great and special value offered in our own street gloves and outseam cape, heavy stitching. Actual value, $1.25, for per pair **$1.00**

STUNNING NECKWEAR

Today a special offer of entirely new designs in rich silks. All of the new large shapes, Ascots, 2 1-2 inch Four-in-Hands, Puff Scarfs, and English Squares. As a whole this is as fine a lot of neckwear as we ever offered and we doubt if these English Squares can be bought anywhere for less than $1.00. All shapes today for one price **50c**



BUSINESS SHIRTS

The new showing of Fancy Bosom Shirts is extremely attractive, quiet and genteel patterns of fine percale, perfect fitting and splendidly made, detached cuffs. Smart and stylish and for only . . **$1.00**

WINTER NEGLIGES

of heavy Oxfords, in handsome dark stripes and plain white. The men who wish for soft shirts to wear in cold weather will be pleased with this collection. Detached cuffs, finely made, only . . . **$1.00**

A MISSING BOY

Supposed to be Hiding in Lowell

HE LEFT HIS HOME ON AUGUST 5

His Widowed Mother is Heartbroken

For days, weeks and months, Mrs. Westcott, a widow, living at 22 Village street, Boston, has been searching the city and suburbs for her only son, Charles Anthony Westcott.

The boy, who is 15 years old, disappeared August 5th, and since that time she has spent her last dollar in trying to get trace of the boy. Days and nights she has scoured the city without avail, and her heart is breaking over the boy's absence.

She employed a private detective who represented that he knew where to find the boy. The man never made a search but took her money, she declares.

On account of some trouble which he had at school, the boy left home August 5th last. Since then he has been seen around the West End and Cambridgeport, about the streets and sleeping on doorsteps at night.

Though his mother has haunted these places in hopes to find him, she has not caught sight of him.

Someone informed her that the boy was stopping at a house in Cambridgeport about a week ago. She went there and found that he had left there. At that place he said his name was Livingstone and that his mother was dead.

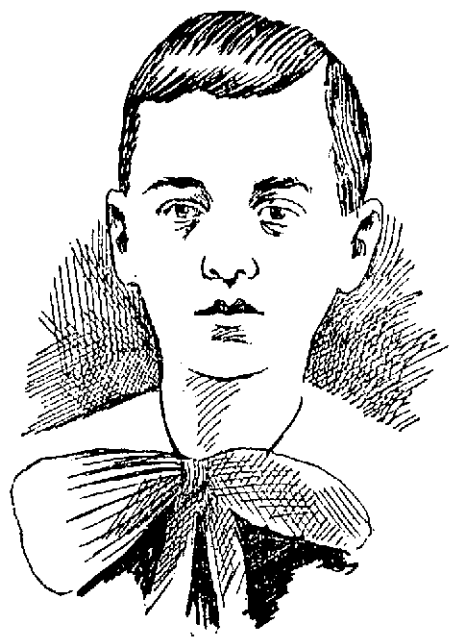
Mrs. Westcott is alone in the world, and has made herself penniless in searching for the boy, but desires only that he will return home and she will forgive all. She has learned recently that the boy had come to this city and is in hiding here and she has written The Sun asking its assistance in searching for him, believing that if he could realize his mother's sad plight he would at once return.

Any information regarding him will be received at this office or by his mother at the above address.

AT THE CASTO SATURDAY.

Tomorrow is children's day at the Casto theatre and the children will be out in force, for they are strong adherents of Manager Haynes. For their entertainment he has prepared a program which will especially appeal to them. The merry musical farce comedy, "Too Much Married," will prove most enjoyable to them for the adventures of Bob Henshaw in his adventures to secure a fortune are most amusing. The fun is fast and furious in the comedy and the musical numbers are very pleasing. In the remainder of the bill will be seen Horant and Navaro, the original "Weary Waggles" of the "Foxy Grandpa" Co., and the acrobatic girl; William Tompkins, vaudeville's premier monologuist in "Topical Talks"; Layne and Lenard, comedy jugglers and automobilists; and Miss Hay Cox in songs and stories. Reserved seats may be ordered by telephone 816-3 or by calling at the box office which is open from 10 a. m., to 10 p. m.

All the latest music at the Burkes' social tonight.



CHARLES A. WESCOTT, RUNAWAY BOSTON BOY, SUPPOSED TO BE HIDING IN LOWELL.

A LITTLE PRICE CARNIVAL SALE

Ladies' $2.00 Lace Shoes, sale price..... $1.49
Ladies' $1.50 Lace Shoes, sale price..... $1.00
Misses' $1.50 School Shoes, sale price..... $1.23
Child's Kid Shoes, sale price..... 49c
Youths' $1.25 Calf Shoes, sale price..... 99c

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Concert both afternoon and evening by American Orchestra, Mr. E. J. Borjes conductor.

—PROGRAMME—

AFTERNOON

PART FIRST.

1. March, "For the Flag"..... Lampe
2. Overture, "Tanhauser"..... Wagner
3. { Menuett..... Paderewski / Gavotte, "Affaire D'Amour"..... Puerner
4. Cornet Solo, "Magnolia"..... Missud
   Mr. R. McDaniel.
5. Selection, "Peggy from Paris"..... Loraine

PART SECOND.

6. Suite de Ballet, Anthony and Cleopatra..... Gruenwald
   1. "In the Arbor."
   2. "Solo Dance."
   3. "Dance of the Nubians."
7. Selection from "The Defender"..... Dence
8. Xylophone Solo, "Concert Galey"..... Ellenberg
   Mr. B. L. Williams.
9. "The Chirpers," Morceau Characteristic.. Frank
10. "Fantasia from Faust"..... Gounod

EVENING

PART FIRST.

2. Overture, Tannhauser"..... Kalliwoda
2. Entre Act, "La Columbe"..... Gounod
3. Selection, "The Storks"..... Chapin
4. Piccolo Solo, "Scherzo"..... Bonnisean
   Mr. Z. I. Bissonnette.
5. { Idyll, "In Beauty's Bower"..... Bendix / Arabian Intermezzo, "Zamona"..... Loraine

PART SECOND.

6. Selection, "When Johnny Comes Marching Home"..... Edwards
7. Czardas, from "Coppelia Ballet"..... Delibes
8. Baritone Solo, "L'Elegante"..... Damare
   Mr. O. R. Park.
9. Selection from "The Mocking Bird"..... Roberts
10. Concert Waltz, "Kaiser"..... Strauss

AMERICAN ORCHESTRA, MR. E. J. BORJES, CONDUCTOR.

DEATH RETURNS

Physicians Must Fill Out New Blank

The health department has sent out to the 140 physicians of this city copies of the new death returns which have been issued recently by the secretary of state, enclosing with them the following letter:

Lowell, Mass., Sept. 29, 1903.

Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed a blank death return sent to this office by the secretary of State of Massachusetts, with the instruction to discard the old return, and to call to the attention of he physicians of Lowell Chapter 29, Section 10.

"A physician shall forthwith, after the death of a person whom he has attended during his last illness, at the request of an undertaker or other authorized person or of any member of the family of the deceased, furnish for registration a certificate stating to the best of his knowledge and behalf the name of the deceased, his supposed age, the disease of which he died, the duration of his last illness, and the date of his death. A physician who has attended at the birth of a child dying immediately thereafter, or a physician or midwife who has attended at the birth of a child born dead, shall forthwith furnish for registration a certificate stating that to the best of his or her knowledge and belief such child either died immediately after birth or was born dead. A physician or midwife who neglects or refuses to make such certificates or who makes a false statement therein shall forfeit not more than fifty dollars."

There are some physicians who are in the habit of writing on the return the cause of death and their signature. In future please fill all the blank spaces on the physicians' certificate and write "unknown" where such is the fact. The desire of the secretary of State and the city clerk is to have conformity to the statute and the uniformity in the statistical value of the returns.

Yours truly,
H. H. KNAPP,
Agent.

PIECE OF STEEL

STRUCK JOHN O'NEIL IN THE EYE.

John O'Neil, aged 16, of 114 Common street, was taken in the ambulance to St. John's hospital with a piece of steel in his left eye. The accident occurred while the young man was at work in the Lowell machine shop.

HOLYOKE RACES

GLENWOOD, JR., ACCUSED OF BEING A RINGER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HOLYOKE, Mass., Oct. 2—Only two races were on yesterday's card at the fall meet of the Holyoke Park association. In the 2.33 trot Glenwood, Jr., was thought to be a "ringer," and was protested by C. E. Jackson of Paterson, N. J., owner of Tantilla, the favorite.

There was no proof, however, and the horse was allowed to race.

Glenwood Jr. had the speed, but broke badly in the last two heats and the favorite finally won. Sunshine, a Springfield horse, won the 2.21 pace, although Calshot was a favorite. The summary:

2.33 trot; purse $300. Tantilla won; Glenwood Jr. second; State of Maine third. Best time, 2.21 1-4.

2.21 pace; purse $300. Sunshine won; Invoice second; Calshot third. Best time, 2.19 1-4.

TWIN SULLIVAN WON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Mass., Oct. 2—Jack (Twin) Sullivan defeated Tom Carey of New York, in the seventh round of what was scheduled to be a 15 round bout before the Fall River Athletic association last night.

BOARD OF HEALTH

WILL ACT ON MAPLE STREET MATTER.

Mayor Howe is of the opinion that the protest against the establishment of a tar macadam plant on Maple stree is a matter that concerns the board of health rather than the mayor's office.

His Honor said yesterday: "A representative of the petitioners has detailed to be the reasons why the tar macadam plant should not be allowed to be placed so near dwelling houses. It is not a matter for me to act upon, all I have to do with the tar macadam people is to sign the contract. I have referred the petition to the board of health, who will probably take action of some kind upon it at their next meeting."

To reporters the same man said: "We made up the petition in advance so that the tar macadam people would not start them. We object to the plant because it is impossible to keep clothes that are hung out to dry clean with the black sooty smoke that fills the air when the cinder tar is burned. Another smoke comes through a sort of smoke stack and this is as bad for clothes or houses, and many of our houses have been recently painted."

60 NAMES

ADDED BY REGISTRARS AT YESTERDAY'S SESSION.

Sixty names were added to the voting lists yesterday, as follows: Ward one, 10; two, 6; three, 10, four, 6; five, 6; six, 5; seven, 5; eight, 3; nine, 9. Total 60.

GREAT UNDERTAKING

ATTEMPT TO HARNESS THE VICTORIA FALLS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 2.—Sir Charles Metcalf, the well-known railroad builder in South Africa, and I. F. Jones, C. M. G., manager of the Chartered company, will sail on the Cunard Line steamer Campania next Saturday on an important mission to the United States. They intend to spend a month investigating the industrial and railroad methods in America and especially to examine the system by which the power of Niagara Falls is utilized. Immediately after their return the work will be commenced of harnessing the Victoria Falls on the Zambesia river in South Africa.

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HERE ARE SOME EXTRA EXCEPTIONAL VALUES FROM THE

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FOR $1.25 EACH—Couch Covers, strictly fast colors, 60 inches wide, full 3 yards long, hand-knotted fringe all round, regular price $1.98.
FOR 69c A PAIR—Hemstitched Ruffled Curtains or Plain Curtains, with five tucks, regular price 98c.
FOR 49c A PAIR—Plain Tucked Ruffled Curtains, good size, regular price 75c.
FOR 25c A YARD—Very pretty Lace Grenadine, for sash curtains, regular price 37½c.
FOR 25c A YARD—Embroidered Tambour Muslin for curtains, regular price 37½c.
FOR 12c A YARD—Some Embroidered Tamboured Muslin, regular price 16c and 17c.
FOR $1.98 A PAIR—Special styles of Chenille Portieres, all colors, regular price $2.75.
FOR 15c EACH—Brass Extension Rods, for long curtains, regular price 25c.
FOR $1.25 A PAIR—Scotch Lace Curtains, in new patterns, full size, regular price $1.98.
FOR 98c A PAIR—Nottingham Curtains, new designs, regular price $1.49.
FOR $12.50 EACH—Nine 9x12 Axminster Rugs, slightly imperfect, regular price $27.50.

WEST SECTION—GALLERY.

Special Sale in Fancy Goods Department

500 MEDALLION PLAQUES ONLY 10c EACH

They're round, with gilt frame, hardly any two medallions alike, gilt chain to hang them by. We've never sold anything of this sort before but the tradespeople tell us that these pretty wall ornaments are worth from 25c to 50c. Come for one today.

EAST SECTION—CENTRE AISLE.

Lining Silk At 49c Instead of $1

We received a lot of these silks from the manufacturer. The remnants and ends of fast black, heavy satins. Enough in most of them for a coat lining, at less than half the regular price.

PALMER STREET—RIGHT AISLE.

Fall and Winter Wear for Men

NIGHT SHIRTS—Made from domet flannel and outing cloth, full size, 60 inches long and as much wide, with military or coat collar, pearl buttons, etc., 50c, 75c and $1.00, according to the cloth and trimming.

50c UNDERWEAR—This year more than ever do we particularize this line. The best sort in Lowell for the price. Fleeced and Jersey ribbed, medium weight cashmere, in white and camel's hair. Shirts with ribbed bottom and cuffs. Drawers with finished seams, tapes, etc.

NECKWEAR—The best assortment of 50c Ties in Lowell. A strong statement but one we're sure of from hearsay. Our styles are exclusive, too, coming from the best makers of nobby neckwear. Four-in-Hands, Teeks, English Squares, Ascots, etc., in the new silks. See the gun metal effects, the Persian silks and the Axel weaves. ALL STYLES 50c.

EAST SECTION— LEFT AISLE.

Tea and Coffee

One pound Coffee, one-half pound Tea, five pounds Sugar, ALL FOR 50c.

Besides the best Teas and Coffees in Lowell, here is a fine assortment of Cocoas. We also carry Heinz's goods. A fine variety of Canned Fruits, McLaren's Royal and Roquefort Cheese, French's Gold Jelly, A. G. P. Baking Powder, Victor Starch, Satin Gloss and X-Ray Stove Polish, full line Anderson's Soups, Canned Corned Beef, Pickled Lamb's Tongues, Sardines, etc.

MERRIMACK STREET—BASEMENT.

Millinery Millinery

Besides our Sample Hats at half price and less, we offer today 100 Black Shirred Silk Hats, with velvet crowns, turban and pompadour shapes, regular price $2.00, only $1.19 EACH.

PALMER STREET—CENTRE AISLE.

Hair Pins

1000 Near Shell Hair Pins, in loop, square top and crinkled shapes, regular price 25c, only 15c A DOZEN.

Chatelaine Bags

Black Alligator Bags, with outside pocket, large size, regular price 75c, only 50c EACH.

West Section—Right Aisle.

Muslin Underwear

FOR 98c—Plain Skirts with umbrella ruffle, three rows of tucks, five yards round, walking length.

FOR 75c—Cambric Skirts, trimmed with torchon lace insertion and ruffle.

FOR 25c—Corset Covers of cambric, round neck trimmings, with wide torchon lace and ribbon.

West Section—Gallery.

SIXTH REGIMENT

Won the Tri-Color Trophy

AT THE SHOOT AT WALNUT HILL

Lowell Men in the Sixth's Team

In the annual rifle competition of the Massachusetts state militia at Walnut hill yesterday the Tri-color trophy was won by a team from the Sixth regiment with a grand total of 1276 at both ranges. Their score at 500 yards was 663 and at 600 yards 613.

The 12-st regiment, Heavy Artillery, team proved a close second, with a total of 1268, their score at 500 yards being 654 and at 600 yards 614.

The highest individual score was made by Private John W. Blake of Battery B, First regiment, Heavy Artillery, with a clean 50 at 500 yards and 43 at 600 yards, a total of 93.

The total scores were:

Sixth regiment	1276
First regiment	1268
Second regiment	1221
Naval Brigade	1208
First Corps cadets	1199
Eighth regiment	1154
Fifth regiment	1101
Ninth regiment	1066
Second Corps cadets	988

Co. C of the Sixth regiment was represented in the winning team by First Lieut. Gardner W. Pearson, Second Lieut. Kelsey, Sergt. Peterson and Private Flynn, while Capt. McNutty, Sergts. Worthen, Scott and Dickey and Corp. Black of Co. M were in the Ninth regiment team.

The scores made by C's men were: Lieut. Kelsey 48 at 500 yards and 38 at 600 yards, total 86; Private Flynn, 44 at 500 and 41 at 600 yards, total 85; Sergt. Peterson, 45 at 500 and 40 at 600 yards, total 85; Lieut. Pearson, 42 at 500 and 36 at 600, total 78.

Corp. Black of Co. M made the score of 85 for a total, 47 at 500 and 38 at 600 yards.

Up to yesterday there have been 10 distinguished marksmen at the local armory and the result of yesterday's shoot adds four if not five to this list, which is a very creditable showing.

The Ninth regimental shoot in which Co. M of this city will participate, will be held at Walnut hill a week from today.

ACTIVE CAMPAIGN

RALLIES IN EVERY STATE IN THE UNION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 2—Party rallies in every state in the union under the personal direction of the officers and members of the executive committee of the Republican National League, reinforced by a heavy oratorical battery, area part of the plans for the campaign for the re-election of President Roosevelt considered at a conference of the representatives of that organization in session at the Audiitorium annex yesterday.

It was proposed that the officers of the league shall make a tour of the country, conducting republican love feasts at every centre as the best means to bring about republican success. The first act of the executive committee upon convening yesterday morning was to send greetings to the nation's chief executive.

Committees were appointed and reports of officers heard. The time and place for the next convention of the organization were referred to a committee of five.

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60c. best Formosa Oolong.....30c; 4 lbs. $1
80c. Golden Tips Assam.....30c.; 4 lbs. $1.
50c. Orange Pekoe.....25c.; 5 lbs. $1.
50c. English Breakfast.....20c.; 7 lbs. $1.

Something New

Souvenir Postal Cards of Lowell

We have just received a splendid line of souvenir postal cards of Lowell. The complete set comprises 17 views and includes all our public buildings of note, interesting places, and five pictures of the South Lowell explosion. The cards may be purchased singly or in sets.

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AFTER FORGERS

1200 Torn Checks Found in House

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 2—Chief Postal Inspector W. W. Dickson is endeavoring to locate two daring forgers who are said to have realized thousands of dollars by altering checks.

These checks were originally part of the contents of a mail pouch, which disappeared about September 5, from a West bound express train on the Penna. railroad, between this city and Pittsburg.

It is stated that in their investigation, the post office inspectors discovered a stack of about 1200 torn checks in a New York lodging house. These checks, it is said were so marked that any raising of their amounts would be impossible without immediate detection.

The arrest of the individuals now under suspicion, the authorities intimate, will bring to light an astounding fraud, with ramifications extending through the entire eastern section of the country.

LADIES' NIGHT

OBSERVED BY MATHEW TEMPERANCE INSTITUTE.

The ladies' night held by the Mathew Temperance institute at its hall at the corner of Central and Market streets last evening was an unprecedented success as a social function. Like all of the other socials held by this organization the attendance was large and the crowd present was a select one. About 50 couples enjoyed dancing to the strains of popular music furnished by the Middlesex orchestra until midnight.

The decorations were pretty but were of very modest nature, and the picture of flowers about the stage, where the orchestra was stationed, mingled with the whirl of dancers, made a pretty scene.

The floor director was John Lyons, who was assisted by John Coughlin, with Owen Grimes, James Rourke and Henry Thomas as aids.

The Mathew Temperance institute will hold a smoke talk at its hall next Tuesday evening. The arrangements for the smoke talk are being made by a committee consisting of William Quirk, John Lyons, James McGreevy, William Boyle, James Rourke, Dennis Sullivan and George Hunt. The literary committee of the society has charge of the program. This committee consists of John McKenna, John Murphy and John Towns end.

The preparations for the Peabody parade are progressing finely and interest in the event is at a high pitch.

OFFICERS APPOINTED

IN THE GIRLS' BATTALIONS AT THE HIGH SCHOOL.

The officers in the girls' battalions of the High school have been appointed as follows:

First battalion—Major, Elena Abbott; captains, Co. A, Ruth Bailey; Co. B, Millie Severance; Co. C, Anna Brown; Co. D, Pearl Woodward; first lieutenants, Co. A, Marion Hill; Co. B, Margaret Shanley; Co. C, Ruth Eaton; Co. D, Helen Whitcomb; second lieutenants, Co. A, Elizabeth Walsh; Co. B, Julia Wing; Co. C, Lou Hands; Co. D, Ethel Parker.

Second battalion—Major, Margaret Teague; captains, Co. A, Caroline Cooke; Co. B, Sophie White; Co. C, Myrtle Batchelder; Co. D, Blanche Atkinson; first lieutenants, Co. A, Helen Degenhardt; Co. B, Florence Holgate; Co. C, Dora Sherburne; Co. D, Carrie Brown; second lieutenants, Co. A, Marion Faulkner; Co. B, Alice Hill; Co. C, Isabelle Wiggin; Co. D, May Ella Lawney.

MISSIONARY SOCIAL

AT THE Y. W. C. A. ROOMS LAST EVENING.

A successful missionary social was held last night at the rooms of the Y. W. C. A. The rooms were artistically decorated with autumn leaves and ferns. A very pleasing musical program was carried out.

The Chinese table was managed by Miss Daisy MacBrayne, assisted by Miss Metcalf and Miss Perley.

The Japanese table was looked after by Miss Russell, assisted by Miss Flemings and Miss Hoole.

The Central America room was under the charge of Miss Shepard and Miss Floyd.

The Indian room—Mrs. Moore, assisted by her daughters, Misses Lillian and Retna, and her son, Arnold.

Misses Bennett and Rutherford had charge of the home department. At the close a poem was given by Miss Augusta Lord.

$250,000 ATTACHMENT

PLACED ON HOUSEHOLD SEWING MACHINE COMPANY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 2—An attachment of $250,000 was placed on the Household Sewing Machine Co. of this city yesterday by the trustees of the estate of William J. King.

The management of the company was changed about three months ago, New York parties acquiring a majority of the stock. At that time William D. Bean, was elected president and general manager and Garrett D. Cooper, treasurer. These men were said to be backed by Frank H. and William Cooper. William H. Cooper is vice-president of the Siegel-Cooper Co. of New York.

Edwards and Angell, who represent the trustees, state that the attachment was to cover a series of promissory notes aggregating $223,000, the first of which was for $40,000, and fell due yesterday. The King heirs controlled the stock of the company previous to the change three months ago.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Eirene lodge, I. O. G. T., held its regular meeting last evening with a very good attendance. After the regular business the following good of the order was given:

Piano solo, Myra White; duet, Misses Hands and Judd; remarks, Bro. Sutcliffe; reading, Sister Smith; solo, Sister Judd; remarks, Bro. Tilton; reading, Bro. Scott; remarks, Sister Lester; piano solo, Ivy L. Hands; remarks, Bro. McLean; reading, Sister Tilton.

At a regular campfire meeting of Post 120, G. A. R., last evening, it was voted to hold a series of whist parties this winter. The evening's entertainment consisted of reminiscences by different members.

Miss Grace Methot wishes to announce to the ladies that her millinery opening will take place Friday and Saturday of this week at Associate Building, Room 5.

CUT HIS THROAT

Insane Man Committed Suicide

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW MILFORD, Conn., Oct. 2—Sylvester Yankel, 37 years of age, who has caused considerable excitement in this town during the week, succeeded in ending his own life last night after a desperate struggle with an officer who was watching him to see that he did not injure himself. In the town court yesterday morning Yankel was adjudged insane and he was placed in charge of Bruce Nearing, a constable, until arrangement could be made to send him to an insane asylum.

While at the supper table in Nearing's house last night Yankel seized a carving knife and stabbed himself in the throat twice. Nearing grappled with the insane man to prevent him doing further injury to himself, but the wounds were fatal and the man died a few moments later. Yankel's insanity is believed to have been caused by his hermit-life and insufficient nourishment, he having lived alone for 15 years past.

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CELEBRATION OVER

CHICAGO HAD A BANQUET FOR MAYORS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 2—A banquet to the visiting mayors and a concert by the Marine band, followed by a public gathering at the Auditorium theatre, last night at which Mayor Seth Low of New York was the principal speaker, brought the centennial celebration to a close, with the exception of the fireworks display, which will be given tonight.

At 3 o'clock the mayors of a score of cities sat down to a banquet in their honor attended by more than 400 citizens of Chicago. At 7.30 the U. S. Marine band of Washington began a concert in the auditorium theatre and one hour later the banqueters took seats on the platform to listen to Mayor Low's speech upon "Civic Federation."

Mayor Low was introduced by Mayor Carter Harrison, of Chicago and received a warm reception.

Previous to the banquet the mayors held a reception in the Auditorium hotel.

Joseph Jefferson, the veteran actor, read an original poem to the banqueters.

Sir Thomas Lipton was expected to be present at the banquet, but his doctor advised against it.

GOOD RACING

WITNESSED AT BRATTLEBORO FAIR YESTERDAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., Oct. 2—With a record breaking attendance of nearly 20,000 people, the 18th annual valley fair closed yesterday. All the racing events were run off in good shape, the 2.17 class alone being unfinished. Summary:

2.17 trot or pace, purse $600, won by Carrie K., bm (Whitney, Lebanon, N. H.); Frank B., g (Ralph, Schenectady, N. Y.), second; Aristocrat, blk g (Macr, Littleton, Mass.), third. Time, 2.13, 2.13½, 2.16½, 2.17.

2.20 trot or pace, purse $500, won by Decima Deane, bm (O'Neil, Lexington, Mass.); Helen R., bm (Hayes, Westfield), second; Kit Murphy, bm (Gale, Brattleboro, Vt.), third. Time, 2.23¼, 2.24¼, 2.23¼.

2.17 trot or pace, purse $400 (unfinished), Lady Laurin, bm (Smith Bros., Barre, Vt.), won first heat; Kitty Wilkes, bm (Chickering, Westmoreland, N. H.), second and third; the Governess, bm (Bailey, Medford, Mass.), fourth and fifth. Time, 2.20¼, 2.22, 2.21¼, 2.21, 2.22.

Running race, half mile, won by Ashbrook, bg (Farnsworth, Rutland, Vt.); Walzer, bg (Russell, Keene, N. H.), second; Marcus Aurelius, bg (Langley, Putney, Vt.), third. Time, 54¼.

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The Sobel Hirshfield Co., of 28 and 30 Waverly Place, New York, having dissolved partnership, have decided to accept a spot cash offer from us for their entire stock of Boys' and Children's Suits and Overcoats. The entire lot of fine garments will be placed on sale today and tomorrow at one-third less than the manufacturers' cost of making. See our window display. Come and let us show you the goods.

SOBEL HIRSHFIELD STOCK OF BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS

Boys' Heavy Blue Cheviot Norfolk Suits, the S. H. & Co's price, $1.50, sale **98c**

One lot of Boys' Double Breasted Heavy Reefers, S. H. & Co's price, $1.40, sale **99c**

Children's Handsome Zibiline Cloth Overcoats, handsomely trimmed and all the newest shades, S. H. & Co's price, $6.00, sale **$3.48**

One lot of Children's Dark Neat Stripe Norfolk Suits, sizes to 16, S. H. & Co's price, $2.75, sale **$1.98**

One lot of Boys' Blouse Suits, Heavy Dark Blue Flannel, about 50 Suits in this lot, S. H. & Co's price, $1.50, sale **95c**

Children's Norfolk Suits in neat dark all wool mixtures, S. H. & Co's price, $4.00, sale **$2.98**

Several styles of Sailor Suits, including all the newest patterns, also Blue Serges. These suits are all beautifully tailored and ridiculously low prices, S. H. & Co's price, $4.50, sale **$2.50**

One lot of Boys' Fall Top Coats, sizes 5 to 16. They include all the finest grades of Covert Cloth, both in dark and medium shades, S. H. & Co's prices, $3.50, sale **$2.50**

One lot of Boys' Plain Double Breasted Suits in Heavy Dark Blue, Black Worsteds and Cheviots, S. H. & Co's price, $4.00, sale **$3.50**

300 Boys' 3 piece Suits, sizes 8 to 17 years, Dark Mixtures, Stripes and Checks, also Black Chys and Heavy Blue Serges, S. H. & Co's price, $4.00 and $4.50, sale **$2.50 and $3**

One lot of large size Boys' Double Breasted Suits, sizes up to 17, goods of fine quality Cheviots, S. H. & Co's price, $4.50, sale **$3.50**

One lot of Children's Suits, sizes 4 to 8. Some Norfolks and some Double Breast, from 4 to 8 suits of a pattern and worth up to $5.00. Your choice in this lot, **$1.25**

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Our Shoe Department is a Wonder

This week we have surprised ourselves in the enormous values we have bought and shall place on sale today and tomorrow. We shall enumerate but a few and ask you to call and let us show you hundreds more.

Men's Patent Corona Colt Skin; guaranteed in the latest last in lace and button. Hand Sewed. Worth $3.50, at **2.48**

Men's Hand Sewed Calf, Box Calf, Vici Kid and Patent leather shoes, all $3.00 goods, at **1.98**

Child's Kid Button, Sizes, 2 to 5, only **17c**

Men's $2.00 Shoes, in several different styles, to close out at **1.49**

Ladies' fine $3.00 Vici Kid, Patent Colt and Dongola Lace Shoes. Great value. **1.98**

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Ladies' Box Calf Lace, worth $2.00. Only a few, **1.25**

Ladies' Felt Slippers, worth 75c, only **49c**

Child's Box Calf Lace Shoes, Sizes, 5 to 8, **49c**

Boys' Oil Grain, Seamless, Shoes, worth $1.50. Sizes, 12 to 2. **98c**

Misses' School Shoes of the best Box Calf, double sole. "The Old School House" Shoe, worth $1.50, **98c**

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INSANE CHARGES

Lowell's List Has Increased Greatly

That the number of insane in Lowell is greatly increased is evidenced by the fact that the expense to the city for insane patients for the past three months exceeds any like bill in the past. There are 55 Lowell patients at the Worcester insane asylum and the bill against the city for their care for three months is $2270.06, or about $3.60 per week for each case. The largest previous amount was about $1800.

In addition to the insane in Worcester Medfield has 35 Lowell insane patients, Westboro has 25, Taunton 6, while Northampton has several. Altogether Lowell has over 100 patients in the various insane asylums.

Secretary Courtney of the pauper department states that the great increase came during the spring months. He does not know to what to attribute this wonderful increase.

Dr. Simpson of the Lowell hospital, when informed of Secretary Courtney's statement regarding the increase in insanity during the spring months, said:

"I should naturally think that the spring months would be the ones for much insanity. If any particular part of the year was to show up many. That is due, of course, to the depressed spirits of many persons after having spent a hard winter. Cold weather, lack of food, lack of exercise and many other causes are contributory to insanity."

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HANNAH CRAIG

Saw First Train of Cars to Enter This City

In the town of Rumney, N. H., a former Lowell woman has just passed her 88th birthday. The following story of the event and brief sketch of her life is from the Manchester Union of today:

This town has a family of four generations, which is one of the best known families in Rumney. The head of this family, Mrs. Hannah (Ramsay) Craig, is the oldest woman in town, having just passed her 88th birthday, and she resides with her daughter, Mrs. William S. Learned, having made her home there since the death of her husband, in 1882.

Mrs. Craig was born in Rumney, July 25, 1815, and with the exception of a short time, when she worked in Lowell, as a weaver in one of the mills, in her younger days, she has always resided in Rumney. Aug. 9, 1836, she married Amos H. Craig, a native of this town, and they had three children, all of whom are now living in Rumney. They are C. C. Craig, who is a merchant at Quincy, a postoffice in the town of Rumney; Mary, the wife of George M. Bickford, and Abbie, the wife of William S. Learned.

In 1832, Mrs. Craig joined the Baptist church, and has missed but one yearly roll-call. She is remarkably well-preserved for one of her advanced age, enjoys good health and even reads the daily papers with the aid of glasses. She was in Lowell, Mass., July 4, 1835, and was an eye witness to the arrival of the first train of cars to enter that city. She is in good health, and bids fair to reach the century mark. Her family consists of three children, six grandchildren, and nine great-grandchildren.

The three others to make up the four generations are Charles C. Craig, Mrs. Ethel (Perkins) Boswell, his daughter, and Alice M. Boswell, her daughter.

LOBSTER CLUB

Annual Outing Was Held Yesterday

The annual outing of the Lobster club was held at Joe Mercier's, on the banks of Lake Mascuppic, yesterday afternoon, and proved to be the most successful outing ever conducted by this club. The club consists mainly of politicians who reside in Centralville, but strange to say there was no booming of candidates at yesterday's affair and the speeches that were given were informal and did not treat on the political side of life.

Dan Collins had charge of the clambake, which was the principal attraction. The clam together with the corn, chicken, blue fish, onions, lobsters and other edibles were cooked in the open and cheer after cheer was given the chef for his fine work. There was plenty to eat, and everyone who sat down to the tables, which were laid in a large open field in the rear of Mercier's hotel, had their fill.

Sports of different kinds were enjoyed during the afternoon, and in the evening the party repaired to Mercier's hotel where a fine musical and literary program was carried out. E. A. Wilson was the chief lobster, while "Bill" Patten was designated as the short lobster. Thomas Carrick and Chester Mercier attended to the wants of the party and kept the table well stocked all the time. Laforest Beals was also very much in evidence and did his share of the work.

LOCAL MEN

WHO PARADED WITH THE ANCIENTS TODAY.

Seven Lowell men and one from Billerica paraded with the Ancients, being members of the organization. They are Mayor Howe, who will be left guide in the Veteran company; George Fairburn, Dr. A. E. A. McCann, Congressman Butler Ames, D. Thomas Wallis, Charles Richardson and Col. Warren Norcross of Lowell and Major Thomas Talbot of Billerica.

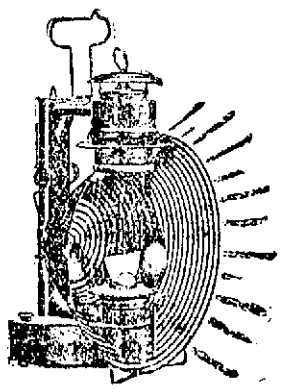
FLORAL FESTIVAL

SECOND NIGHT OF THE C. M. A. C. FETE.

The second night of the floral festival under the auspices of the C. M. A. C. in their hall in Pawtucket street proved to be more of a success than the opening night. The attendance was much larger and the tables did a good business.

In the upper hall Prof. Van de Wiele's athletes gave a fine gymnastic exhibition, while minstrel songs were sung by Mr. Lucien Paradis and Alfred Bibeault, Jr.

Dancers! Attention! Good music at Huntington hall tonight.



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MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Fred L. Ashworth of Boston and Miss Minnie E. Parker were married at the home of the bride's parents in Billerica Thursday afternoon. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. Smith Thomas Ford, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist church of Lowell. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion. The couple were unattended.

LIVINGSTON—NICKERSON.

At the residence of Rev. C. L. Pierce of the North Tewksbury church, Wednesday afternoon, Mr. Frank W. Livingston and Miss Augusta May Nickerson, both of North Andover, were united in marriage.

Masters Robert Rawlinson and Arthur Smith, both of Butterfield street, have entered the Highland Military college at Worcester, where they will pursue a three years' course.

Catarrh for twenty years and cured in a few days.—Hon. George James, of Scranton, Pa., says: "I have been a martyr to Catarrh for 20 years, constant hawking, dropping in the throat and pain in the head, very offensive breath. I used Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. The first application gave instant relief. After using a few bottles I was cured. Sold by Falls & Purkins.—1.

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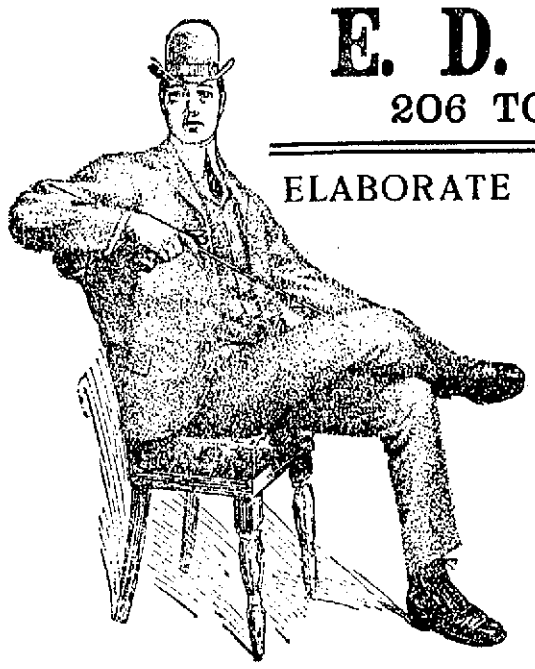

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ALMOST LYNCHED

Man Was Strung Up Three Times

By Associated Press to The Sun

OXFORD, Ohio, Oct. 2—Five men were seriously injured and one narrowly escaped lynching several times as the result of last night's riot at this place.

Those injured are:

John Woodruff, marshal of Oxford, believed to be fatally shot.

Jacob Manrod, deputy marshal, shot in the back and in the shoulder, condition serious.

Ernest Jettin, a country teacher of Monroe, Ohio, believed to be fatally shot in the abdomen.

Louis Spivey, of Wagonville, Ky., shot in the back and breast, serious.

Joseph Spivey, Wagonville, Ky., skull fractured by stone.

The Spivey brothers were visiting Howard Richardson of Billingsville, Ind., just across the state line from Oxford. The three came here to attend the annual fair and farmers exposition. The town was filled with strangers when three men began carousing in a saloon. They pulled their revolver on the bartender who ejected them and then proceeded to raise more trouble in other saloons. When Marshal Woodruff undertook to arrest them he was mortally shot. A fusilade of bullets in the crowded streets followed the shooting of the marshal. Deputy Marshal Manrod was shot twice when he took the place of his chief. During the fusilade in the street, Ernest Jettin, while returning from his school to his boarding house, was struck in the abdomen by a stray bullet and he is now in a critical condition.

After the shooting the three men ran in different directions, with crowds after each one and each was hit in the head with stones thrown by those pursuing them. Louis Spivey was shot by a citizen. The three men were finally lodged in jail. Richardson was later released.

Soon afterwards crowds concentrated about the jail and battering down the door took Joseph Spivey out to lynch him. He was hurled from place to place with a rope about his neck and was swung up three different times, yet escaped with his life. In their haste the mob did not pinion his arms or his legs and he managed to use them so as to prevent strangulation the first time he was hanged. At another time he was let down so that he might write a farewell letter to his wife and children and at another time some one cut the rope. Finally the officers rescued the man and rushed him off to the city prison, where the mob was held at bay.

Speeches were made by ex-Mayor Flanagan, Rev. Dr. Thomas J. Potter and the brother of Marshal Woodruff. Meantime the officers spirited the Spivey brothers away to the Butler county jail at Hamilton, Ohio, a distance of 15 miles. The mob later dispersed.

A striking feature of the attempted lynching last night was the part taken by negroes, who protested every time the rope was slackened and Joseph Spivey was let down to say his prayers with his wife and children, or for any other purpose of mercy. Some of the negroes raised a disturbance, proclaiming that if the man had been a negro he would surely have been lynched. The mob was without a leader at any time, but still it probably would not have been foiled but for the appearance of Woodruff's brother to let the law take its course.

DEATHS

STOTT—Edith N. Stott, aged 4 months, died yesterday at the home of her parents, John D. and Alfreda Stott, 61 Wilson street, Billerica.

KIMBALL—Undertaker Ela received a telegram yesterday afternoon notifying him of the death of Mrs. Lydia S. Kimball, a former Lowell resident, who passed away at Los Angeles, California. The body will arrive in this city sometime today.

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The $9.00 quality for $5.95
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The $18.00 quality for $11.95
The $20.00 quality for $11.95
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now, mark you, if the judge puts a stop to hatching eggs within the city limits, he not only cripples an infant industry and handicaps the republican party, but is guilty of lese majeste, as well."

A trim little hen with a full neck and sloping shoulders butted in at this point to remark: "Well, the judge has been working for a good many years, and probably has a good little nest egg of his own by this time."

Then they all cackled at once. It was cickle cackle here and cickle cickle there, and everywhere a cackle, cickle, cickle, cackle.

"What does the judge care," said the trim little hen, "he hasn't got to scratch for a living."

"Is that so? Well no one ever accused him of feathering his nest."

The Rooster—"Yes, he's won his spurs."

The Rabble—"How did he do it?"

The Rooster—"Sitting on the bench."

The Rabble—"Do all old hens look alike to him?"

The Rooster—"No. I heard him say once that some of them had gone stale, and he knew that fine feathers didn't make fine birds."

JUDGE HADLEY A BIRD.

The youngest hen in the party—"I heard a lawyer say the judge was a bird."

The rooster—"Yes, but he doesn't try to fly high, and that's more than some of the lawyers can say."

The rabble—"Why do young lawyers come higher than old ones?"

The rooster—"Because they're fresh."

The oldest hen in the bunch—"Ain't you getting away from the object of the meeting?"

The rooster—"The chair awaits the pleasure of the meeting."

The youngest hen again—"Now wouldn't that stick in your crop!"

Rabble—"Move we adjourn for one week."

The rooster—"It's a vote and may they not hatch up any new devilry till then."

And thus the meeting adjourned, but the old hens and young hens and the roosters did not immediately fly back to their respective roosts. They divided up into parties and cackled about the injustice of the court. By an informal vote it was decided that the ordinance which gave the city council the right to say if they should live within the city limits had been repealed by the delegation of the power to the board of health and a vote of thanks was tendered Agent Knapp for his words in behalf of the feathered tribe.

A BURLESQUE.

There was a deal of talking on the way home. Some of the very old hens expressed the opinion that the indignation meeting has been burlesqued and that what was said did not represent the sense of the meeting. This old hen was in low-neck and she more than "knocked" Judge Hadley and Jerome Manning. She was one of Moses' six and she thought that would help some. After scoring everybody that had anything to do with the relegation of city hens to the woods she struck a sympathetic mod and wept, not for herself or the other five in her coop, but for the hens that had no Moses. "What will ye do, poor children," she sobbed, "with no Moses to lead you out of the land of bondage. Me and me little family have a Moses who, if the occasion requires it, will lead us out of the wilderness. My Moses is not only familiar with the wind, but he is also an expert on fire and water." The old hen was in the height of a semi-hysterical turn when the alarm rang in from box 13 and a chorus of voices cackled: "Bad luck! Bad luck!"

"They do tell," remarked an old side-wheel rooster that joined the ranks of the indignant old hens as they left the common, "that this man George Brown grabs on to everything that isn't licensed. I have a scheme. Let's all foregather in one large coop, and hang out a no-license sign. While the sign is being hung out I will step 'round the corner and get a quart of whiskey. We'll put the whiskey in plain view of passersby and lock the coop securely. Brown can't get in to get the whiskey, but rather than suffer defeat, he will take us all to the police station——"

"Hold there," said Mr. Redcomb, seconded by Miss Fluffybreast, "such action would but add insult to injury. You would establish a police record, would you?"

"Only that by so doing," humbly replied the old side-wheeler, "we might be convicted of illegal keeping and sent to the stone house on the hill instead of to the country."

A committee of five was appointed to consider the advisability of side-wheel's scheme with instructions to report at the indignation meeting to be held this afternoon.

ADAMS IS CUTE.

One pretty little pullet with a well moulded and beautifully curved beak stepped shyly to the front, after the committee had been instructed to report, and, after wiping her feet on the rubber mat she dashed a tear from her eye and spoke thusly: "I-er-ee have a friend whose name is Cecil L. Adams. He's just the cutest little thing that ever happened and he's head and ears in politics. He has made lots of laws at city hall and I think if I should wait upon him, in person, I could persuade the dear boy to frame a law that would fit our case. It someway seems to me that we will not have to go to the country. I'm sure Cecil will not let me go."

Mr. Redcomb heard this little speech with ill-concealed dissatisfaction. "We will have nothing to do with Mr. Adams. He's a pooh-pooh politician and he hasn't influence enough to have the smallest hencoop in Lowell turned end for end."

The pretty little pullet heard Redcomb's hot words with tears in her wild eyes. "I'll still be true to Cecil," she said, as she sauntered down the lane toward Moses' house.

"Appeal to Mayor Howe!" said an old hen whose eyebrows had turned to blisters, "he's ancient and honorable."

Suggestion upon suggestion was made but with the exception of appointing a committee to report on old sidewheel's motion, no definite action was taken.

Tears and shakes were exchanged and the city birds, when the bright September sun was sinking to rest in the glowing horizon, returned to their coops and imparted the news of the meeting to their tender broods. It was a sad day for the city hens and the man who depends upon the crow of the rooster while others await the signal of an alarm clock, will undoubtedly look upon Judge Hadley's ruling with disfavor.

SEEN AND HEARD

A stranger called at a local bank the other day and presented a check for which he wanted the equivalent in cash.

"Have to be identified," said the clerk.

The stranger took a bunch of letters from his pocket all addressed to the same name as that on the check.

The clerk shook his head.

The stranger took out his pocket-handkerchief and showed the same name in indelible ink.

Clerk looked bored.

The man thought a moment and pulled out his watch which bore his name on the inside cover.

Clerk hardly glanced at it.

The man dug into his pockets and found one of those "If-I-should-die-tonight-please-notify-my-wife" cards and called the clerk's attention to the description, which fitted to a T.

But the clerk was still obdurate.

"Those things don't prove anything," he said, "we've got to have the word of a man that we know."

"But, good heavens, man, I've given you an identification that would convict me of murder in any court in the land!"

"That's probably very true," responded the clerk patiently, "but in matters connected with the bank we have to be more careful."

There were four or five men at the street corner discussing the financial question, when a poorly dressed woman halted before them and, singling out a particular man who had been especially vociferous in the advocacy of his pet views, she said:

"I am a poor but respectable and hard-working woman. Could you let me have money to buy a pair of shoes with?"

"Do you really need 'em?" he inquired, in turn.

"Very badly, sir; and I shall never forget your kindness if you aid me."

"Well, here it is," he said.

"Thanks, kind sir, and may heaven bless you."

When she had gone away one of the group said:

"She was mighty cheeky."

"Brassiest thing I've seen in a year."

"Do you know her, Bill?" inquired a third of the man who had opened his purse.

"Y-e-s; more or less. We've been married about twenty-five years, and when I don't give her cash she takes this way of faking me. I rather like it. I get the credit of being very charitable and she gets the cash."

$2.00 TO NORTH ADAMS

in the Hoosac Mountains, Saturday, October 10th.

Already the autumn foliage has commenced to appear and the fresh atmosphere of October makes one long for another short respite from work. This is the season of the year when the mountains are more beautiful than ever, and the Hoosac Mountains in western Massachusetts are a grand sight at just this season. The weather is suitable for tramping through the mountains exploring the Deerfield valley or taking a trolley to many interesting places nearby.

The Boston & Maine excursion to North Adams on Saturday, Oct. 10th, gives the excursionists an opportunity to take in all the beauties of an Indian summer in the Hoosac Mountains and to enjoy the health giving tramp or ride through this noted region.

The round trip rate from Boston is only $2.00. Any person desiring can, upon showing their excursion ticket and payment of fifty cents at the Hoosac Tunnel station, procure a round trip ticket to Wilmington, Vt., on the narrow gauge railroad, "the Hoosac Tunnel and Wilmington."

A first-class dinner can be procured at the "Child's Tavern," Wilmington, and the ride is through the prettiest portion of upper "Deerfield Valley." Tickets are on sale at city ticket office, 322 Washington street, and the Union station. Special train will leave Boston at 8.30 a. m., for Hoosac Tunnel and North Adams; returning, leave North Adams at 4.30 p. m. Train will stop at Waltham in both directions, but tickets will be on sale only at Boston. Tickets are also good returning on regular trains on October 11th and 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Lewis gave a reception last evening at their home, No. 77 South Loring street, in honor of the marriage of Edith Lovejoy Corey of Worcester to their son, Irving Chester Lewis of Arlington.

FUNERALS

BROOKS—The remains of Charles Brooks formerly of this city, reached here from Worcester yesterday and were interred in the family lot in the Edson cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker C. M. Young.

GORMLEY—All that was mortal of the late Patrick Gormley was laid to rest yesterday afternoon in the family burial lot in the Catholic cemetery, the funeral taking place from the home of his daughter, Mrs. John J. Mahoney, 33 Bowers street, and was largely attended by sorrowing friends and relatives. There was a profusion of floral offerings. The following close friends acted as bearers: Michael J. Mahoney, Humphrey O'Sullivan, Simon Flynn and John Saunders. At the grave Rev. Timothy P. Callahan of St. Patrick's church read the committal prayers. The interment was under the direction of Undertaker O'Donnell & Sons.

IF NOT ENGAGED.

Don't forget the social by the Norfolk club at Huntington hall, Tuesday evening. Kittredge's singing orchestra will furnish the music. The concert alone will be worth the price of admission. Tickets 25 cents.

RUGS

In the new fall designs of carpet sizes are many reproductions of foreign rugs.

The Axminster and Wilton fabrics especially bring out the rich, beautiful colorings seen in the Oriental rugs. The carpet size of Brussels, Wilton and Axminster rugs are priced from

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Fine Clothes for Men

There's been a marked improvement in Merrimack Clothes this season.

Each season naturally shows some improvement in making—but this advance this season is of a marked character—and deserves special mention.

Greater Creative Genius in style designing. More careful and expert tailoring than thus far known are responsible for this great advance in the high grade ready made Clothes of the Merrimack.

The bettering of our finest grades means the bettering of the medium and lower prices—the Standard of value is the same here whether you pay $10, or $25 for a suit—you get the utmost that the money will buy.

When you consider the very high character of Merrimack Clothes, always improving—the fair prices asked, and the splendid store service, do you wonder that thinking men and the stylish dressers wear the Merrimack hanger on their coat collars?

No better time than this week to point out the improvements in Merrimack Clothing—there's good choosing now.

Fall Suits

Hand Tailored

More good suits sold last Saturday than on any previous Saturday at this time of year.

Same story all this week—the weather is perfect for autumn, and prompts buying the new garments.

Of course, the stock has had something to do with it—we've never shown so many worthy suits—such a well assorted stock nor so well-tailored garments as this season.

Ten dollars secures a good suit choice—it's the lowest point we touch, and means all wool or wool and worsted fabrics, good making and trimming—honest suits.

Black Thibets, Worsted Cheviots, and a number of styles of fancy mixtures to choose from.

A good choice of fancies at $12.00. Worsteds, Cassimeres and Worsted Cheviots, including Shuman's dependable make.

This store is identified with $15.00 suits for men—that is, the best $15.00 suits—the hand finished garments.

More and better styles this season than ever—in Black Thibets, Worsted Cheviots and twenty styles of fancies—in singles and double breasted sacks.

The line at $18, $20, $22, $23, $25 and $28 reflect careful selection, and the finest "jour" tailoring—it's the slickest clothing, all things considered, ever seen in this store, or any other store.

Fall Top Coats

Ready For Your Wearing

It's splendid top coat weather. The man who thinks he can bluff it through until winter overcoat time, is taking chances with his health.

Top coat styles are same now as next spring; you'll get nothing by waiting; they'll be no cheaper; the tendency is upward.

There's no better time to buy a top coat than now—and no better place than here.

$10 buys a good top coat of double-and-twist covert cloth, in a grayish coloring, excellently tailored.

Shuman and "Eff-Eff" Top Coats at $15—several shades of covert cloth and black Thibet.

A new Top Coat at $12 comes in an olive shade of covert, and is cut 31 inches long—and very boxy.

Elegant Top Coats at $20—in covert cloths and velvety Venetians, hand tailored, including the silk lined coats that were $25.

Fall Overcoats, in black and oxfords, plain or silk lined, 40 inches long, at $10 to $23.

Rain Coats, 52 inches long, in Oxford cheviots, black worsted cheviots, covert cloths and mixtures, $10 to $20.

Fall Hats

A leading metropolitan daily recently came out with a two-column editorial advising men to wear soft hats.

They argued that the soft hat set more easily and loosely on the head, allowing the blood to circulate freely through the veins of the scalp, the lack of which circulation, from wearing tight-fitting and hard hats, caused baldness.

The man who reads the article is pretty apt to try a soft hat for a change—especially if he finds his hair thinning on top.

No better time to try than now. The soft hat is particularly desirable for early fall wear.

Then, there are so many widely different shapes this season—the extremely broad brim or the close roll, very high or flattish crowns. There are shapes to suit every style and character of man.

The Vevoy and Reliable are two very fine hats, one a small shape, the other a wide brimmed, full crowned style. They're examples of very fine hat making. Price $3.00.

A couple of excellent shapes at $2.50, on the golf order; low crowns, flat brims, bound or raw edge.

A dozen styles at $2.00. Excelelnt shapes, in black and the new shades of cinnamon, nutria and azure.

The New Shirts

Two clever styles in fancy shirts came in this week. They're of the coat shirt variety. You put them on like your coat; a great advantage with stiff bosoms.

One has bosom and cuffs of fine quality imported madras, in cadet blue, with large polka dots woven in. The dots are in black, white and orange. The body of the shirt matches the shade of the bosom and cuffs, but is in plain color.

It's from our best shirt makers, and as pretty a style as we've ever shown. Price $3.

Another coat shirt is made of fine quality percales, with neat figures and stripes on grayish and bluish grounds, and is priced at $1.50.

The regular lines of fancy bosom shirts for fall are all here, including some new and effective designs in fine percales. $1.00 and $1.50.

Men's and Boys' Sweaters

First showing of the fall sweaters, in the corner window.

Quite an active demand the past week. It's none too early to choose well.

Looks like another gray season. We couldn't get enough grays last year. We provided liberally this season—with sweaters and wescuts—for men and boys.

$2.00 buys a fine worsted sweater of good weight, in gray, blue, black, garnet and white.

$2.50 gets a little heavier sweater of fine worsted yarns—an excellent number.

The Sterling wescuts and sweaters cost $3.00, same price as last year, though they cost more. Boys' sizes for $2.50.

Heavy worsted, Shaker knit sweaters, in white and gray, at $4.00, $5.00 and $6.00.

A couple of fancy styles in French and block knitting, cost $4.00 and $5.00 each.

A splendid sweater for boys, a fine worsted, at $1.50.

Merrimack Clothing Company...

ACROSS FROM CITY HALL

COLLINS' BRAVES

Lost the First Game to the Pirates

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 2.—From a Boston standpoint the unexpected happened most decidedly in the opening game for the baseball supremacy of the United States between the champions of the National league and the American league pennant winners—the Pittsburgs and the Bostons—on the Huntington avenue grounds yesterday afternoon.

With the veteran and dependable "Cy" Young in the box, the pitcher who has twirled better ball than any pitcher the past three seasons, the adherents of the local team felt that victory would perch on their banner and backed this opinion most substantially, but the cards fell badly and the visitors gained a decided first inning victory. Young did not prove anything like the enigma that was expected, and the Pittsburg boys batted him with confidence and effect. Four runs were scored in the first inning, and this lead proved enough to win the game, for Beaton could not equal this score during the matinee.

Opposed to the veteran Young was "Deacon" Phillippe, who pitched a magnificent game of ball and completely fooled the strong Boston batsmen. He struck out 10 of the locals' men. "Bucky" Freeman being the only one to escape this ignominy. He had everything in the category of the pitcher and his curves, slows and drops were completely baffling to the locals, Dougherty, the slugger of the Bostons, was completely at sea. Manager Collins was not seen at his best, and Lachance and Ferris were almost as puppets in the hands of the National league pitcher.

The locals seemed on edge, and did not play with that coolness and confidence to be expected in a series of this kind. In fact, the Pittsburgs could not have played with more confidence if they were playing on their own grounds.

Ferris and Criger were completely off key. Ferris missed a couple of grounders at critical stages, and Criger made a poor throw and missed a third strike, offences of which he has been rarely guilty in contests for the American league pennant.

After he had missed two chances in four innings, Ferris settled down and gave a glimpse of the kind of play that helped to make the Bostons pennant winners, but by that time the day was lost. The lead of four runs in the first inning was altogether too much to be overcome, and, while at one time it looked as if the locals would do well to score a run, they managed to make as many runs as did their opponents.

Boston was beaten, but that does not augur that the locals have not as good a chance as the National league champions for the series. There is no reason in the world why the locals should not show the speed of which they are capable in the game of today. They have shown again and again the speed of which they are capable, and, while Pittsburg showed magnificent speed yesterday the Boston club has played as good a game again and again.

Pittsburg excelled decidedly in the outfield and nothing could have been finer than the display Manager Clarke gave. He cut off chances for several runs by his superb running catches. Beaumont also distinguished himself by a great capture. Sebring did well in right. Ritchey at second and Bransfield at first. The score:

PITTSBURG.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Beaumont cf	5	1	0	3	0	0
Clarke lf	5	0	2	4	0	0
Leach 3b	5	1	4	0	1	1
Wagner ss	3	1	1	1	2	1
Bransfield 1b	5	2	1	7	0	0
Ritchey 2b	4	1	0	1	2	0
Sebring rf	5	1	3	1	0	0
Phelps c	1	0	1	10	0	0
Phillippe p	4	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	40	7	12	27	7	2

BOSTON.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Dougherty lf	4	0	0	1	1	0
Collins 2b	4	0	0	2	3	0
Stahl cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Freeman rf	4	2	2	2	0	0
Parent ss	4	1	2	4	4	0
Lachance 1b	4	0	0	8	0	0
Ferris 2b	3	0	1	2	4	2
Criger c	3	0	0	6	1	2
Young p	3	0	0	0	1	0
*O'Brien	1	0	0	0	0	0
**Farrell	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	3	6	27	14	4

*Batted for Criger in the ninth.
**Batted for Young in the ninth.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Pittsburg	4	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	—7
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	—3

Earned runs, Boston 2, Pittsburg 3. Three base hits, Freeman, Parent, Leach 2, Bransfield. Home run, Sebring. Stolen bases, Wagner, Bransfield, Ritchey. First base on balls, off Young 3, Struck out, by Young 5, by Phillippe 10. Passed ball, Criger. Time, 1:55. Umpires, O'Day and Connolly. Attendance, 16,242.

Confessions of a Priest.

Rev. Jno. S. Cox of Waltz, Ark., writes, "For 12 years I suffered from Yellow Jaundice. I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters and feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for 12 years." If you want a reliable medicine for Liver and Kidney trouble, stomach disorder or general debility, get Electric Bitters. It's guaranteed by F. C. Goodale, druggist. Only 50c.

MASON DEAD

WAS PROMINENT CITIZEN OF WEYMOUTH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WEYMOUTH, Mass., Oct. 2.—Frank H. Mason, one of the most prominent and widely known citizens of this city, died here yesterday after a short illness, aged 53 years. Mr. Mason was for many years treasurer of the Boyd-Corey shoe company of Marlboro, and also of the Marlboro Water company. At the time of his death he was chairman of the board of water commissioners of Weymouth and secretary and treasurer of the board of trustees of the Tufts public library.

WHOLESALE RAIDS

MADE ON BIDDEFORD DRUG STORES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BIDDEFORD, Me., Oct. 2.—Sheriff Fogg of Sanford and a force of seven deputies made wholesale raids among the drug stores yesterday. Within half an hour heavy seizures had been made at nine places.

CONSERVATIVES MEET

IN 38TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE AT SHEFFIELD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SHEFFIELD, Eng., Oct. 2.—The 38th annual conference of the conservative associations opened here yesterday with unprecedented attendance, attracted by unusually interesting political situation. Nearly 2,000 delegates were present. The Earl of Derby presided in the absence of the Duke of Norfolk, who was indisposed.

In moving the adoption of the annual report, Mr. Low, M.P., chairman of the committee, deprecated the conference, expressing a decided opinion on the tariff question in behalf of the party until Joseph Chamberlain had fully explained his views.

Cheers greeted Mr. Chamberlain's name and the interruptions of Mr. Low's remarks soon made it manifest that there were grave differences of opinion on the fiscal question.

An official resolution on the subject of the fiscal controversy was moved by Sir John E. Dorington, M. P. The resolution, which deals solely with Premier Balfour's proposals, not touching on Mr. Chamberlain's was as follows:

"That this conference, believing that the changes which have taken place during the last fifty years in the conditions under which British trade has been carried on necessitate a reconsideration of the fiscal system, which we, as a nation, have adopted during that period, thanks the prime minister for having instituted an inquiry into the whole subject and welcomes the policy he has foreshadowed for securing to this country fiscal freedom in our negotiations and commercial relations with foreign countries."

It was agreed that no vote should be taken on the resolution until today, after Mr. Balfour's speech last night defining the attitude of the government.

MANY FINES

HAVE AROUSED RESIDENTS OF BELFAST, MAINE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BELFAST, Maine, Oct. 2.—Residents of North Belfast are panic-stricken because of several fires of apparent incendiary origin. The residences of Mrs. Oliver Chase and Mrs. Frank Emmons were burned during the night. The buildings were next the store and house of Postmaster Mitchell, which were burned early Tuesday morning. Mr. Mitchell was taken with variolold Saturday and it was feared the disease would spread from his store or the post office.

SOCIAL DANCE

GIVEN BY NORTH CHELMSFORD BRASS BAND.

The North Chelmsford brass band opened the social season in North Chelmsford in a delightful way last night, by holding their social dance in the town hall. This is an event in which the members of the band and their friends look forward to each year for the dance under the auspices of the band is always a delightful event and last night's affair was the best of its kind ever held by the band.

The band orchestra played for the dancing, and the happy dancers spent a pleasant evening. Dancing was enjoyed until 12 o'clock. The committee in charge were chairman, Perlie Constantino; secretary, Fred Gaudette; treasurer, Arthur Slater; floor director, Jas. H. McCoy, Jr.; assistant, Robert Scribner; aids, David P. McNally, Edward Perry, Earl Fowler, James Headman.

CONVENTION DATES

TO MAKE REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS FOR STATE TICKET.

The following are the dates of the conventions:

Oct. 1—Republican county convention in Huntington hall, Lowell, at 10:30 a. m.

Oct. 2—Republican state convention in Tremont Temple, Boston at 10:30 a. m.

Oct. 3—27th Dist. Republican Representative convention in Republican headquarters, Lowell at 1:30 p. m.

Oct. 5—25th Dist. Republican Representative convention in republican headquarters, Lowell, at 8 p. m.

Oct. 6—8th Dist. republican councillor convention in Huntington Hall, Lowell at 11 a. m.

Oct. 7—7th Dist. republican senatorial convention in republican headquarters, Lowell at 8 p. m.

Representative Luce who drafted and was instrumental in securing the adoption of the recalled Luce bill, which provides for joint conventions and which will be voted on at the state election, will speak at Jackson hall on Tuesday, Oct. 6, at 8 p. m., explaining the bill.

This will be an excellent opportunity for all voters, irrespective of party, to get information about the bill. Mr. Luce will also be ready to answer questions regarding the workings of the new law.

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The new styles fill our store and beam upon you from every department. An exposition of attire surpassing in beauty and correctness anything ever shown in a Lowell store.

We are thoroughly prepared to cater to and meet the demands of all kinds of trade and still keep Prices Below the Average.

No New Fad

That promised popularity was overlooked by our buyers who have stocked us with the latest novelties in all the leading lines.

A more fascinating collection of autumn beauties is not to be found.

In Cloak, Suit, Fur and Waist Dept.

We handle only garments that are "Right" in all the word implies.

Here you find not only "Just the Thing" but you have so many styles to select from you are better pleased with your final choice.

Hand tailored garments made by high class workmen are what we are offering at prices no higher than you will be obliged to pay for trashy stuff elsewhere.

We don't want to appear egotistical, but we do claim that a lady is always sure of the

Largest Assortment, Newest Ideas and Latest Designs in This Dept.

Ladies' Tailor Made Dresses $10 to $75 each

Covert, Zibeline, Kersey, Peau de Soie and Velour Coats $7.50 to $75 garment

Rain Coats in a wide range of fabrics, $10 to $30 each

Walking and Dress Skirts, $3.98 to $20 each

Waists, in silk, cotton or wool, 50c. to $15 each

In the Baby's Corner.

This Dept. is Our Hobby

Located on the second floor, reached by an easy to climb short flight of stairs, heavily stocked with everything for Misses and Children to wear, it is indeed an inviting and entrancing place today for mothers.

Here she finds so many exquisite creations, neat, plain or elaborate, fashioned by the most skilful designers in this country and Europe and all at prices so reasonable as to cause her to wonder how it can be done.

We look for a big attendance of Mothers Today and Tomorrow.

New Designs in Shell Goods

Every lady requires from 3 to 6 pieces of Shell Goods to properly dress her hair. Several new designs in barettes. Side and back combs get their first showing today.

The Reform Comb, indispensable to an effective coiffure, hygenic, handy and novel, does away with wool or hair pads, price 10c each

Ladies' Kid Gloves

A perfectly equipped Glove Dept where you will find all the standard makes fully represented. An expert fitter constantly in attendance to give our patrons the most careful attention. A prominent feature at present the selling of

Mannish Kid Gloves,

$1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 a Pair

Here also you may find the popular brands. Fownes, Clementina and System Jay, in shades of Red, Brown, Tan, Mode and Black.

New Jewelry

We are right after this Dept., determined to keep it in the front rank by constantly showing novelties and exceptional values. Several new things in Belt Sets, Brooches, and Collar Pins will be displayed today and tomorrow and we wish to attract attention particularly to our offerings at

25c., 50c. and 98c. Each

Laces and Dress Trimmings

We take especial pride in this Dept. and carry a larger stock and more styles than any store in town. Here, too, prices save you money.

Beautiful Persian Bands and Appliques, in desirable colors and attractive patterns, varying in width from 1-2 to 4 inches. Prices from

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Plain and Fancy Wood Silk Braids, in black or white, in a good assortment of widths and patterns. Prices ranging from

8c. to $3.00 per yard

Fringes and Drop Trimmings are particularly desirable this season and our showing is superb. Drop Ornaments,

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Fringes

89c. to $2.98 per yard

In Laces you will find here anything you need. A personal inspection will prove profitable and pleasing.

Ladies' Silk Elastics

Prominent in the department you will find Side Elastics, made from fancy frill web with patent fastenings, in a wide range of colors at.....

10c. each

50 pieces of Frill Elastic Web, with silk overshot, for armlets or garters, 20 different colorings, at.....

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Ladies' Fine Hosiery

A much larger stock, a greater variety of styles and a wider range of prices, make this department more attractive than ever.

A Hosiery Department in which you will find all the reputable makes. Silk, Lisle and Lace Hose in plain and fancy colors—at prices much less than you would have to pay for the same things in Boston or New York.

Our showing of values is exceptly for the same things in

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In the Furniture Dept.

In this department we are known as great value givers, a reputation earned on merit alone. Our stock comprises the products of the best makers in this country.

We can supply you with anything you need in Furniture give you a choice variety to select from and sell you at reasonable prices.

It will interest you to see what we have to make home comfortable at little expense.

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To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.43	6.58	6.10	7.07
6.32	7.40	7.20	8.20
6.39	7.50	7.34	8.34
6.42	7.58	8.25	9.01
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ea7.24	8.10	9.20	9.57
7.31	8.55	c10.03	10.27
7.45	8.52	10.17	11.24
8.50	9.49	c11.50	12.07
9.40	10.40	12.00	12.56
11.00	12.05	c1.03	1.38
ee11.43	12.25	1.15	1.52
s12.14	1.40	2.50	3.01
1.40	2.50	c3.00	3.38
ea1.54	2.39	3.47	5.00
3.03	4.20	4.14	5.20
ea3.47	4.30	c5.03	5.58
4.03	4.45	5.38	6.20
4.25	5.30	5.47	6.54
e5.22	6.15	6.14	7.27
5.41	7.10	c7.50	8.08
ce6.22	7.05	e8.30	9.05
e7.10	8.00	10.30	11.24
8.42	9.38	11.20	12.22

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.50	8.09	7.30	8.34
8.00	8.34	9.25	10.39
9.25	10.59	10.45	11.41
10.50	12.02	11.10	1.08
12.05	1.32	2.15	3.10
12.45	1.57	3.30	4.55
2.50	3.44	4.25	5.45
3.10	4.10	4.59	6.20
3.55	5.04	6.04	7.05
5.00	6.43	6.53	7.48
6.15	7.15	8.30	10.40
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8.25	10.30		

SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
8.15	9.27	8.00	8.17
12.05	1.26	12.00	1.02
4.05	5.18	5.00	6.23
5.30	6.55	8.40	9.40
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LOCAL NEWS

Printer—F. A. M. Tobin's Printery.

Finest Wedding Hacks at O'Donnell's stables, 84 Jefferson street. Tel. 439-4.

The Babbitt Optical Co., formerly at 28 Dutton street, now permanently located at Bon Marche Building, Suite 19. Take the elevator.

The fall opening of millinery at the Temple of Design, 14 Merrimack square, will take place today and tomorrow.

Miss Blennerhasset wishes to inform the public that her millinery opening will take place Monday, Oct. 5th, Central block, room 41-45.

We all suffered from the coal famine. If the people were only wise enough to have had the Goodwin weather strip on their outside doors much of this suffering could have been avoided. They are the greatest coal savers ever invented. Do not fail to try them and you will thank us for the suggestion. 11 Thorndike street is where you place your order.

Don't forget the Burkes', with Flanagan's Orchestra, tonight, at Huntington hall.

CHANGE OF TIME.

Beginning Monday, October 5, 1903, the cars on the Moody street line will leave as follows:—

Merrimack square for Moody street, 5.50 a. m., 6.15 a. m. and 15 and 45 minutes after each hour until 11.15 p. m.

Returning leave the Lowell-Dracut line, 6.00 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 11.30 p. m.

ST. PETER'S CATHOLIC CEMETERY.

Being Handsomely Embellished by Workmen at the Present Time.

It is my ambition to make this the handsomest cemetery in Lowell. It is strictly a Catholic cemetery, as none but Catholics will be allowed to purchase lots to bury their dead in this cemetery.

Lots are sold at from $5 to $25, 50 per cent. less than prices asked for lots in other cemeteries. These lots will be sold on easy terms of payment, so that whatever your present financial condition, you can make such arrangements as will make it easy for you, with no worry or trouble about the payment.

John J. Gray, Donovan building, or office at St. Peter's cemetery. Telephone 578-4.

DEAR NEIGHBORS

Make Concerted Kick Against Keeping Hens

The report of the proceedings in the trial of the celebrated "hen case," in police court, yesterday had hardly appeared in the papers when the mail of the health department began to swell with complaints from outraged neighbors against people who keep hens, pigeons, rabbits and other alleged nuisances.

So numerous are the complaints that the health department undoubtedly will take some action in the matter. Heretofore there have been no such complaints made but once it became known that a man was fined $10 in police court for maintaining a nuisance by keeping hens, the complaints began to come in batches.

Wilfred Kershaw
(Organist at St. John's Church.)
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McCLELLAN NAMED

Democratic Candidate for Mayor in New York

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2—Scenes without parallel in the history of city conventions were enacted last night in and around Carnegie hall, where the democratic convention for the nomination of a city ticket was held. Both within the building and outside people were jammed together, men were crushed, and women fainted on all sides. Extra police forces were called out, but as the crowd continued to grow in density it was found to be impossible as before to keep the people under control.

The first signs of enthusiasm in the house were when Leader Charles F. Murphy of Tammany marched down the centre aisle and took a seat about eight rows from the stage. Congressman Goldfogel walked just behind him. The crowd cheered. Lewis Nixon and Bird S. Coler sat in boxes interested but almost unnoticed spectators. T. C. T. Crain was elected chairman of the convention. Mr. Crain in a lengthy speech characterized the Citizens' Union as "A coterie of aristocrats," the Greater New York democracy as "A small office-seeking clique," and other opposing forces as "Vest-pocket organizations created to advertise public individuals."

"This is a political campaign," he said, "because the result will have bearing on the State and national campaign."

When the committee on resolutions retired for deliberations, John L. Shea of Brooklyn handed in a petition protesting against the placing on the democratic ticket of the names of two men, "who are improperly called democrats and whose names appear on the fusion ticket."

On the return of the committee the platform was read. It was received with comparative indifference; only three or four times was there any pronounced applause and references reflecting on President Roosevelt passed without cheers.

The platform set forth that democrats and republicans everywhere will await the results of the coming election with an interest only second to that taken in a national political contest.

Among other things the platform says: "We believe in such municipal ownership of public utilities as the financial condition of the city shall permit it to assume."

The committee on resolutions ignored the protest of the delegation from Brooklyn presented by Mr. Shea. John J. Delaney then was escorted to the rostrum to nominate George B. McClellan for mayor. "There is no hope for the democrats to carry the United States," said Mr. Delaney, "until we carry the state of New York, and we cannot carry the state of New York unless we carry the city of New York. We must nominate here a man of patriotic blood, a man who has never boasted of his ancestors, but has stood upon the ground, a man himself. I present to you for your consideration as your candidate for mayor, George B. McClellan."

The delegates from all the boroughs with the exception of Brooklyn, stood up and cheered enthusiastically. The Brooklyn men remained in their seats.

Mr. Delaney continued his praise of the candidate to whom he attributed all the virtues of his gallant father and a number of others. The nomination was seconded by Col. Franklin Bartlett and Congressman Joseph A. Goulden.

Martin W. Littleton, of Brooklyn, then nominated William J. Gaynor. The Brooklyn delegates rose en masse and cheered and waved their hats. Senator McCarron seconded the nomination.

On the roll call by assembly districts Manhattan, the Bronx, Queens and Richmond were unanimous for McClellan. The only break in the solidity of the vote of Brooklyn for William J. Gaynor was in the 11th district, the leader announcing "nine votes for Wm. J. Gaynor, one vote for George B. McClellan."

Mr. McClellan therefore received the nomination by 134 votes to 219 for Justice Gaynor.

FORNES NOMINATED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2—Charles D. Forres was placed in nomination for president of the board of aldermen by Justice Roesch. Herman A. Metz was placed in nomination by George K. Powell of Brooklyn. Fornes was declared the nominee of the convention.

Edwin M. Grout was named for comptroller.

CONFERENCE HELD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2—Linn Bruce, chairman of the republican county committee, Timothy L. Woodruff and Edward Lauterbach, had a long conference last night at the Loftus club, at which the present political situation as it affects the Fusion ticket was thoroughly canvassed.

It was decided that if the citizens union city committee decided to remove Messrs. Grout and Fornes from their ticket, then Mr. Woodruff as chairman of the republican city convention will issue a call for the re-convening of the republican city convention on Tuesday night next.

The conferees also discussed the names of the men to be substituted for Messrs. Grout and Fornes. Four were spoken of for the office of comptroller, all independent democrats. They were J. Edward Swanstrom, R. Fulton Cutting, Julian D. Fairchild and Joseph F. Hendrix. For the office of president of the board of aldermen, but one name was spoken of, Herman A. Metz of Brooklyn.

POOR OVERSEERS

WILL MEET AT CITY HALL TONIGHT.

The overseers of the poor will meet this evening at city hall to approve monthly bills.

YELLOW FEVER

CONDITIONS NOT SO FAVORABLE AS HOPED FOR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LAREDO, Texas, Oct. 2—Developments in the yellow fever situation show conditions not so favorable as had been hoped for. The official report given out last night, shows:

"New cases, 6; suspicious cases, 2; cases previously reported, 39; total cases to date, 45. Total deaths, 3."

There were two deaths from the fever at Nuevo Laredo today. United States Vice-consul J. F. Kibmall, is still ill.

FINGERS LACERATED

WILLIAM GOULD INJURED AT THOMPSON'S BOX SHOP.

William Gould, employed at Thompson's box shop in Lawrence street, met with a painful accident while at work at that place this morning. He was running a circular saw when he got the third and fourth fingers of his left hand lacerated. He was taken to the Emergency hospital where it was found necessary to amputate the injured members at the first joint.

LUMBER PLANT BURNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 2—The plant of the People's Lumber company, with the exception of the office, at Monessen, has been destroyed by fire. Loss $50,000, with insurance of $15,000.

SPECIAL AT KEYES' AUCTION

SATURDAY AT 11 O'CLOCK

Brown horse, 9 years old, warranted sound and kind, absolutely fearless and a perfect family horse; can step a mile in 2.30 and will show the clip at sale.

Also a Pneumatic Road Wagon in excellent shape; custom-made Harness, blankets, robes, etc. This team is the property of a well-known gentleman who is going away for the winter. If you want a first-class turnout, be sure and attend this sale.

F. G. McGREGOR - Auctioneer
OFFICE, 215 FOSTER STREET, LOWELL.

FOR THE BEST OF REASONS

On Saturday, Oct. 3, 1903, at 3 P. M.

I shall sell at auction one of the best paying pieces of property in the city, situated on the upper end of Cheever street in "Little Canada." The property consists of one 9-tenement block on leased land on which the building can remain as long as purchaser desires. The property will let for $70 per month.

TERMS: The purchaser must deposit with or secure to the auctioneer $300 just as soon as the property is struck off. The balance of the purchase money to be paid within thirty days.

All inquiries to be made at the office of the auctioneer.

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The best clothes in existence are those in this store today!

In saying this we make no idle boast, but are prepared to demonstrate its truth to every caller.

Examine our single-breasted Sack Suits; examine our double-breasted Sack Suits; examine our Fall Dress Suits; examine our Overcoats and Raincoats; examine our Trousers, and, if you choose, compare them with others.

There are none better. There are none priced so low.

Nowhere else can you find such handsome shapes, such faultless fit, such conformity to fashion's demands.

B. Kuppenheimer & Co. and Thompson-Snow Co. clothes lead every advance in men's and young men's attire. Exclusively shown here.

Prices $10, $12, $13.50, $15, $16.50, $18, $20 and $25

AUCTION SALE

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2.30 and 7.30 P. M.

At 360 Merrimack St. Opp. City Hall

Before commencing alterations on our store we are going to offer our entire stock of Second Hand Furniture, Stoves, Ranges, Rugs, Iron Beds, Springs, Mattresses, Parlor Suits, Rockers, Couches, Lounges, Odd Chairs, Tables, Sideboards, Wardrobes, Sewing Machines, Organs, and many other articles too numerous to mention, for just what they will bring at public auction.

McGAUVRAN BROS.

J. M. FARRELL, Auctioneer.

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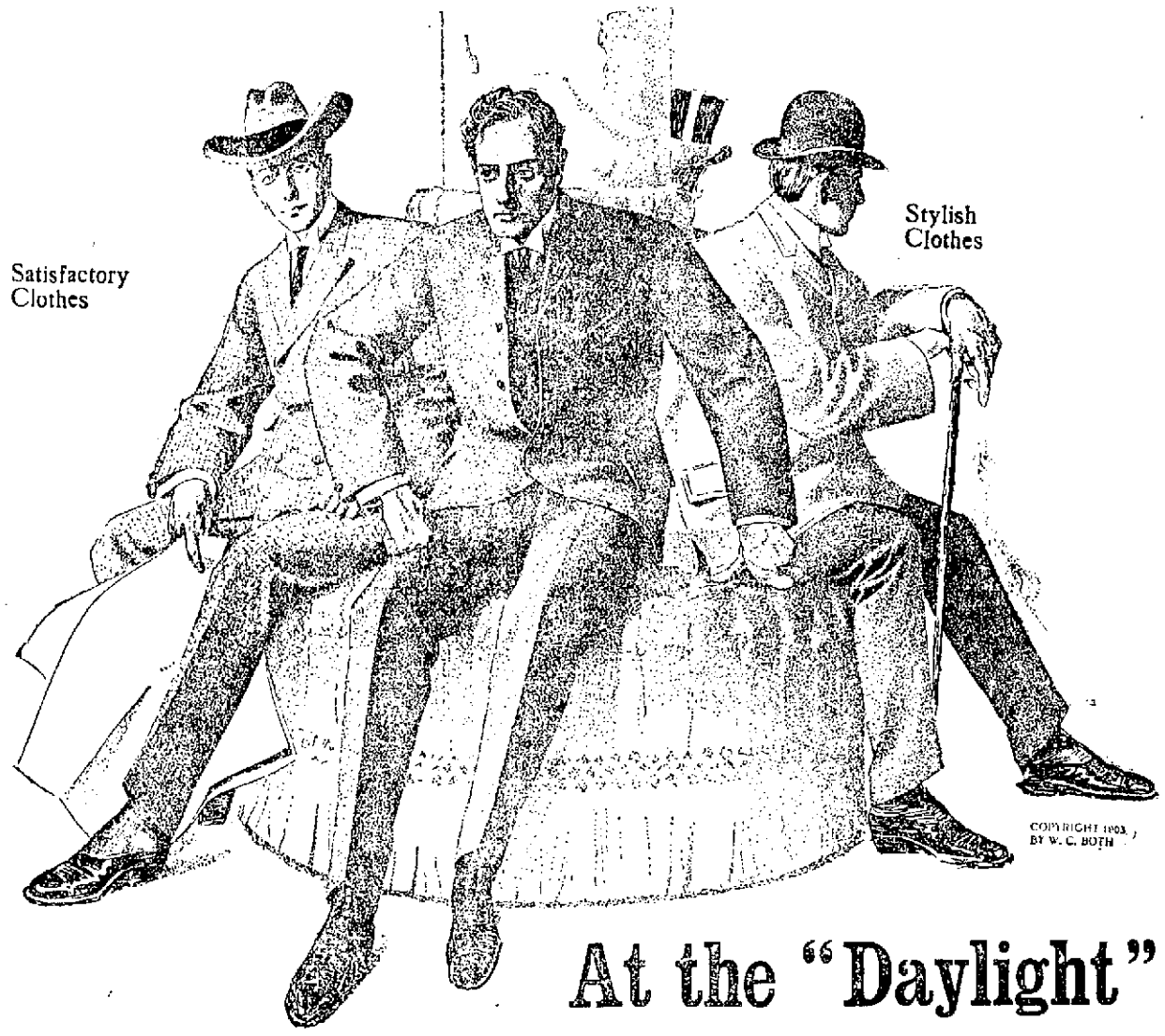

At the "Daylight"

If you are a man who is interested in "good clothes" it will be a real treat for you to look over the line of Suits and Overcoats we are showing from "Hart, Schaffner & Marx" and our "Boston Workrooms." They are models of the tailor's art, just as right as right can be, and they cost no more than the ordinary kind. September was a great suit month. Many of the nobbiest lines are already broken in sizes. It's good judgment to buy now, you have a better selection than later on—our time is yours whenever you are ready.

OUR TWO SPECIALTIES

The "Varsity" Suit

made by "Hart, Schaffner & Marx" especially for young men. Short cut, close fitting coat, broad military shoulders, built-up fronts, straight cut, with corners cut away sharply, the "Varsity" gives a form and style to the wearer that no other suit approaches. We show them in all the nobby Scotch effects and in the plain black and blue cloths.

$15 TO $25

The "Student Suit"

made in our "Boston Workrooms" on about the same lines as the Varsity. The Student is a typical young man's suit with all the snap and go a young man requires in his clothes. We also show a most attractive line of the "New Double Breast" Suit, in all the new popular fabrics and patterns. The Student and the Double Breast Suit at all prices.

$10 TO $25

Regular Sack Suit--- There's a big difference in the make-up as well as in fabric and colorings in the suits we show for men of quiet tastes and mature years and those for younger blood. They are distinctively separate lines. Our stock of Regular Sacks is in Fancy Worsteds, Worsted Cheviots, Cassimeres and Fine Scotch Mixtures and plain black and blue Worsteds and smooth faced goods. A great variety of colors, fabrics and patterns, from

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NIGHT EDITION

SIX O'CLOCK

ALL MASSACRED

Only Ten Men in the Town Escaped Fury of Turks

By Associated Press to The Sun

SOFIA, BULGARIA, OCT. 2.—THE MACEDONIAN REVOLUTIONARY HEADQUARTERS ASSERT THAT THEY HAVE POSITIVE INFORMATION THAT THE WHOLE CHRISTIAN POPULATION OF THE TOWN OF MEHOMIA (RAZALOG) PROVINCE OF SERES, WAS MASSACRED SEPTEMBER 28 WITH THE EXCEPTION OF TEN MEN WHO ESCAPED WITH THE NEWS.

MEHOMIA IS AN IMPORTANT TOWN AND THE SEAT OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

THE POPULATION WAS ABOUT EQUALLY DIVIDED BETWEEN TURKS AND BULGARIANS.

THE LATTER NUMBERED 3,200 PERSONS.

According to the fugitives when the general rising was declared in the Razalog district Sunday the Turkish troops in the Pirin mountains hurried to Mehomia and surrounded the town, rendering the escape of the Christians impossible. The Bulgarian population were prepared to join in the uprising, several insurgent agents being in the Bulgarian quarter of the town at the time. Desperate fighting occurred in the streets, bombs and dynamite being freely used. After fighting for five or six hours the Turks gained the upper hand and proceeded to massacre every Bulgarian they encountered.

There is no official confirmation of the above report.

TURKISH TROOPS

ARE GAINING UPPER HAND IN THE REVOLUTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SOFIA, Oct. 2—5.40 p.m.—According to advices received here this afternoon, the backbone of the revolution in Macedonia is broken, he Turkish troops are gaining the upper hand everywhere, several insurgent chiefs have been killed or wounded, others are abandoning the struggle and fleeing to the frontier, the revolutionary bands are sustaining heavy losses and are seeking refuge in large numbers and the Turks occupy every important point along the routes of retreat to the frontier.

MUSTER AT BROCKTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BROCKTON, Mass., Oct. 2.—The hand engine play-out at the Brockton fair began soon after 11 this morning with the Gardiner 4 of Gardiner first to play. The wind at that time was not strong and the first few tubs to play had a strong advantage. The Protectors of Brockton made 229 feet 8 inches. Enterprise 2 of Campello made 215 feet 4 3-8 inches. The wind began to increase in force and bothered the tubs that played immediately after and their streams were not so good.

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Best Jersey Sweet Potatoes .....13 lbs. 25c
Finest Green Mountain Potatoes.....20c Peck; 75c Bushel

Best Bacon (by the strip).....15c lb.
Best Smoked Shoulders..... 8c lb.
Best Pure Lard.....11c lb.
Best Full Cream Cheese.....15c lb.
Young America Cheese.....18c lb.
Roquefort Cheese.....40c lb.
New Salted Peanuts.....10c lb.
New Peanut Butter.....15c lb.
Cape Cod Cranberries.....10c qt.
Campbell's Soups...3 cans 25c, 9c can
Fine Jams.....10c bot.
Fat Salt Pork.....10c lb.

Best Vermont Creamery Butter.....5 lb. box $1.35; 27c lb
Choice Creamery Butter.....5 lb. box $1.25; 25c lb.
Good Butter .....5 lbs. $1.15; 23c lb.

Pure Cider Vinegar and Spices for pickling.

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C. F. KEYES - Auctioneer

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POSITIVE SALE OF A SEVEN ROOM COTTAGE AND ABOUT 2250 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NO. 31 PEARL STREET.

I have made arrangements to move my family to California by November 1st, for this reason, therefore, I shall positively sell my home at No. 31 Pearl street, on the premises, regardless of the weather, on the day advertised, to whomsoever shall bid the most for it. This property I have occupied myself for some time and it is a very convenient and cosy little home. The cottage consists of seven rooms, pantry, shed and an extra dry and well-lighted cellar. There is a shed, kitchen, sitting room, parlor, and two chambers on the first floor and two rooms on the second floor, water-closet in the cellar and the best of sewerage.

The lot has a frontage of 45 feet on Pearl street, is very dry and all fenced in.

I have been offered a very good rent for this property with a chance to lease it for five years, but as I am to locate in California, I desire to dispose of it and am sure it will make as comfortable and profitable home for some one as it has for me. The location is certainly one of the very best. Pearl street running between Middlesex and Appleton streets. The many large industries that are within five minutes' walk from this property are too numerous to mention. Parties who are looking for a home in the business part of the city should give this sale their attention.

Make all inquiries at the office of the auctioneer.

TERMS—$250 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off.

By the order of
JOHN McGOVERN.

JAPAN'S PLAN

Troops Sent to Corea for Experiment Only

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARIS, Oct. 2.—Information received here through official sources at St. Petersburg shows that the explanation given of Japan's moving troops to Corea, is calculated to remove suspicion concerning her intention. The number of troops moved is estimated at between 8,000 and 10,000. Japan explains that the movement is part of a plan of experimental mobilization, for the purpose of showing her ability to mobilize a considerable force in connection with the friction between Japan and China, but that it has no connection with differences between Japan and any other power. The officials refuse to comment upon the explanation.

ONLY FOR RELIEF.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 2.—Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister here, has no news of the movements of Japanese troops to Corea announced from Paris yesterday. In an interview this morning, the minister said:

"From the published accounts, I am certain that any movements of troops are only the routine relief of the Japanese forces guarding the telegraph line from Fusan to Seoul and Chemulpho."

W. Pritchard Morgan, consul general in London, also has no information on the subject. He suggested, however, that the time was coming when the powers should agree to Corea being declared an independent, neutral state like Belgium.

PELHAM INQUIRY

Investigation of the Cause of Electric Car Collision

The railroad commissioners of New Hampshire, Henry M. Putney of Manchester, and A. G. Whittemore of Dover, today began an inquiry into the cause of the accident on the Pelham road that resulted in the death of six people.

Judge F. W. Emery of Portsmouth, N. H., appeared for the street railway company.

The first witness called was Starter Stevens who told practically the same story as was reported in the interview with him in The Sun at the time of the accident. He said that he was called to fix a window in the car that was about to leave the square for Nashua, and that after he had done this he shouted "All right," meaning that he had repaired the damage.

Then he left in order to tag another car. Pliny Knapp and Fox, the motorman and conductor of the car, both stated that they got the signal to go ahead. They said that Stevens fixed the window in the car and then when he had gone a distance of about seven feet he called out, "All right, Nashua; go ahead." Knapp said he got the bell and started along rather slowly. When he struck the private land the car from Nashua was about 50 feet away. He reversed brakes and then jumped.

Conductor Vero, who was on the car coming from Nashua, said that when the car reached Hudson Centre he got the signal to go ahead. His car was about 60 feet away when he saw the car coming in the opposite direction. He felt the jar when Motorman May reversed the brake.

A number of other witnesses were called to testify, and then Judge Emery informed the commissioners that the railroad company had presented all the information it could. He said that the accident was due to a peculiar and unfortunate combination of circumstances. He stated that the railroad had full confidence in the men in their employ, but they certainly could not furnish them with brains. He said that the fact that such an accident should occur at a place where many people were present was certainly due to unfortunate circumstances.

CLOUDBURST DID GREAT DAMAGE

By Associated Press to The Sun

TOPEKA, KAS., OCT. 2.—A SPECIAL FROM PRATT, KAS., SAYS A CLOUDBURST EARLY THURSDAY EVENING DID INESTIMABLE DAMAGE TO PROPERTY AND SWELLING THE NINESCAH, AN ORDINARY STREAM, TO A MILE IN WIDTH IN A BRIEF TIME. NO LIVES ARE REPORTED LOST. AN EIGHT WEEKS' DROUGHT WAS BROKEN.

SUPERIOR COURT

Long List of Lowell Cases on the Calendar

The civil session of the superior court will open at the court house in this city Monday morning. The following cases will be heard at the sitting:

Danforth v. Groton Water Co.; Toohey, compt., v. Murphy; Yarnold, ad'x v. Bowers, et al.; Hardeman v. Hart; Wood v. Phelps; Dixon v. Hale, et al.; Mollahan v. B. & N. St. Ry.; Boutwell, et al., v. Rugg, et al.; O'Boyle v. Lowell Bleachery; Harrington v. Boston Elevated Ry. Co.; Shea v. Tompkins; Maguire, Jr., v. Savage; Beede v. B. & N. St. Ry. Co.; Campbell v. B. & M. R. R.; Ryan, p. p. a., v. Cady; McBride v. Moffatt, et al; Foy v. Hunt, et al.; Palmer, et al., v. Reardon; Duguette, p. p. a., v. Gaudette; Howard v. Aetna Knitting Co.; McGonigle, et als., v. Master, et als.; Pallie v. Manning, et al.; Leeman v. City of Everett; Howe v. B. & M. R. R.; Hill, et al., v. Same; Stevens v. Lowell Gas Light Co.; Byrne of ux., v. Boisvert; Mansfield v. Fish; McGonigle, et al., v. V. H. J. Belle Isle Co.; Richards v. town of Winchester; Freeman, compt., v. Hoarke; Fay v. Head; Kearns v. Corcoran, et al.; Ellis v. Kerwin; Quinn v. B. & M. St. Ry. Co.; B. I. Mal. Iron Works v. Jordon; Byrne et al., v. City of Lowell; Wotton v. Ishbes, of Chelmsford; Cushing v. Sanborn; Sheridan v. Cogan et al.; Gallagher, ad'x, v. B. & M. R. R.; Hay v. Gorman; Hickes v. N. E. Kennell club; Same v. Same; Fournier v. Delisle; Same v. Same; Morrison v. McKay; Kennedy v. Bay State Mills; Lally v. Columbia Nat'l Life In. Co.; McMahon, v. American Woolen Co.; Connors, et al., v. Betoncourt; Finn v. Lowell Gas Light Co.; Walsh v. Bigelow Carpet Co.

THE FUSIONISTS

Will Drop Grout and Fornes

CITIZENS' UNION WILL HOLD ANOTHER CONVENTION

Platt Is Out for Fairchild

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—It is regarded as certain that the fusionists will immediately make an attempt to erase the names of Comptroller Grout and Aldermanic President Fornes from their ticket. The full strength of the citizens' union committee of 150 has been summoned for a meeting to be held tonight to deliberate on the important questions involved in the proposed change of candidates and the republicans stand ready to follow the lead of the citizens' union.

It is now planned to re-assemble the citizens' union convention either Monday or Tuesday and the republican convention Wednesday for the purpose of revoking the nomination of Grout and Fornes and selecting new men to take their places. It is proposed to take up at least one of the men the Brooklyn democrats offered at the democratic convention last night and name him as a ticket mate of Mayor Low. Senator Platt, who is active on the movement for the repudiation of Grout and Fornes because they accepted the endorsement of Tammany, favors the nomination of Julian B. Fairchild, democrat, for comptroller.

It is regarded as certain that Messrs. Grout and Fornes will resist the plan to remove them and it is anticipated that the legal rights of the citizens union and republicans to withdraw them will be thrown into the courts on the first step that can be made the subject for legal action.

R. Fulton Cutting, president of the citizens' union later made the announcement that another city convention to nominate successors on the citizens' union ticket to Grout and Fornes will be held in Cooper union next Wednesday evening.

POTTER'S FIELD

RECEIVES BODY OF STILL BORN CHILD.

The body of the child which was found on the Lakeview avenue dump yesterday was interred in "Potter's field" in the Edson cemetery this afternoon by Undertaker J. W. Brooks.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

Local forecast: Fair tonight and Saturday; cooler tonight; light to fresh north to east winds.

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BOUGHT BEER

Officers Caught Rose Lemay Napping

OFICERS ATKINSON AND GRADY CALLED ON ROSE LEMAY AT THE WENTWORTH BLOCK THIS FORENOON AND BOUGHT FOUR BOTTLES OF LAGER BEER. ROSE DIDN'T KNOW THEM AND SHE WAS REAL VEXED WHEN SHE DISCOVERED HOW EASILY SHE FELL INTO THE NET. TOMORROW SHE WILL BE ASKED TO PLEAD TO A COMPLAINT, IN POLICE COURT, CHARGING HER WITH ILLEGAL SALES.

FROM EXPRESS OFFICE

THE SEIZURE OFFICERS TOOK CHARGE OF TWO BARRELS OF BOTTLED WHISKEY THAT THEY FOUND ON THE PREMISES OF THE AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY, CORNER OF CENTRAL AND MARKET STREETS THIS FORENOON.

SHEEP STEALING

Alleged Case Heard in Police Court Today

The case of Owen J. Sherlock, charged with stealing sheep from the Lowell Dressed Meat Company in Market street came up on continuance in police court today.

The company is in the habit of driving their sheep over the road from the freight station at North Chelmsford, where they are delivered to the company's farm in Chelmsford Centre.

The company has sent two herds over the road within the last few weeks. There were 216 sheep in the first lot and 219 in the second. The defendant was charged with stealing the sheep en route.

Albert O. Hamel appeared for the commonwealth and John J. Hogan for the defendant.

Four men drove the sheep from North Chelmsford to Chelmsford Centre and some of the sheep got beyond th control of the herders. The head herdsman, however, stated that the defendant broke into the herd and separated them in order, it is said, to further his plans to steal.

One of the witnesses for the government, James Powers, said that the defendant said to him: "I have killed several sheep belonging to your company. I found them, advertised them, sold them and got my money and you people can do what you please about it."

When the case was called this afternoon at 2 o'clock it was postponed until the 21st of the month.

STILL IN THE HOSPITAL.

John W. Scully, Michael Grogan, Lawrence F. Scully and John Scully, charged with assault and battery on Thomas Kelly were in police court today and were ordered in $500 each to October 12. The case came up on continuance.

The assault occured in Richardson avenue a week ago last Sunday afternoon and Kelly is at the Lowell General hospital suffering with a broken leg and other injuries as the result of the treatment he received at the hands of the men herein named.

AN UNLICENSED DOG.

Charles N. Sylvester, charged with keeping an unlicensed dog was ordered to pay the cost of the court. Sylvester said that the man from whom he bought the dog refused to give him the license that went with the canine.

Sylvester said the other fellow wanted the dog but he couldn't see it that way. The fact of the matter was that although both men wanted the dog, the latter was so vicious he had to be killed.

Thomas Corbel charged with trespassing, the complainant being George W. Jorko, was treated to a certain lecture and discharged.

Patrick Warren, 13, charged with obstructing the street was soundly lectured and released.

Fred O'Loughlin charged with assault and battery was continued to October 9. The complainant was not in court.

Mary McBride for drunkenness was sentenced to the reformatory for women at Sherborn. She appealed and was ordered in $200 for the superior court.

MORTON DROPPED DEAD

By Associated Press to The Sun

EDGARTOWN, Oct. 2. Thomas E. Morton, superintendent of state highways for Dukes county, dropped dead of apoplexy while duck shooting yesterday.

Mr. Morton had brought down a bird and turning to a companion asked the latter to bring it in. As he finished the request he fell back dead.

He was 62 years old and leaves a wife and one child.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.

BAY STATE COLONY.

At the regular meeting of Bay State colony, No. 71, U. O. P. E., held last evening, officers were elected for the ensuing term. The present collector having resigned, Charles W. Matherson was elected and installed as collector by Supreme Treasurer A. V. Buchee of Lawrence. Supreme Secretary Nathan Crary of Lawrence was also present. The remaining officers elected will be installed Thursday evening, Oct. 8th. A good supper will be provided and all members are requested to be present.

20 INJURED IN A COLLISION

By Associated Press to The Sun

BEOWAWE, NEV., OCT. 2.—A HEAD-ON COLLISION HAS OCCURRED ON THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

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THE SUN LATEST 5 O'CLOCK

SERIOUS CHARGE

Man Sold Horse That Had Glanders

Lester S. Franklin, for whom a warrant was issued several days ago and for whom the police have been looking, called at the police station this forenoon, accompanied by his lawyer, J. H. Gallet, and gave himself up. A little later he was arraigned in police court and bailed.

Franklin is wanted for selling a horse afflicted with a contagious disease called "farcy," but more commonly called "glanders."

He claimed to the police that he did not know until to-day that a warrant had been sworn out against him. As soon as he heard about it, he said, he called on Mr. Gallet and the latter acompanied him to the police station.

Franklin put the horse in auction at Hanson's stable and the animal was purchased by Charles Beck of Methuen.

The most serious feature of the case is the fact that Beck contracted the disease and his case is critical.

HEAVY DAMAGE

CAUSED BY THE RISING OF THE RIVER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BROWNWOOD, Texas, Oct. 2.—Much damage has been done by a rise in the river here. No trains are running over the Santa Fe or 'Frisco, wash-outs having occurred at several points.

Dr. J. B. Pentecost, who was driving to his home at Glen Cove with his family in his buggy, got into a swollen creek and Mrs. Pentecost and one child were drowned.

DOUBLE CRIME

MURDER WAS FOLLOWED BY SUICIDE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Fritz Sheeman today shot and killed Louis Zeltzel in a grocery store in West 37th street and then going home, committed suicide. Zeltzel recently bought the store of Sheeman and the men quarrelled about the sale.

NO CHANGE IN STRIKE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WATERVILLE, Me., Oct. 2.—There is still no change in the strike situation at the Hollingsworth & Whitney pulp and paper mills in Winslow.

The national representatives of the Firemen's union, said to be here, are not here, and those said to be coming have not yet arrived. There has been no interference by strikers with the men now in the fire room.

VISITED RICHMOND.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WINCHESTER, N. H., Oct. 2.—A visit to Richmond, the native town of Rev. Hosea Ballou, the "Father of Universalism," was made today by the delegates to the state universalist convention. There they dedicated a large bowlder, which marks the site of Ballou's birthplace.

Catarrh

Whether it is of the nose, throat, stomach, bowels, or more delicate organs, catarrh is always debilitating and should never fail of attention.

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CARSON'S REPLY

To Arguments of American Counsel

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 2.—Sir Edward Carson, the solicitor general, consumed the morning session of the Alaskan Boundary commission today in endeavoring to refute the arguments of David T. Watson and Hannis Taylor of counsel for the United States, especially protesting against Mr. Taylor's contention that the term "trend of the coast" could only apply to the political coast line and not to the physical coast line. He also maintained that the principle of acquiescence was not applicable to the present dispute and somewhat surprised the audience by declaring that under the powers of the treaty of 1903 the commissioners had not authority to define questions submitted to them and that they could neither lay down the boundary nor decide what constituted the coast. All the commissioners could do was to answer questions submitted to them in the treaty either negatively or affirmatively. If they gave certain answers they might make matters more confused than ever and open up a new series of diplomatic tangles.

GRADE CROSSING

CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD MONDAY.

The special committee on grade crossings will hold its conference with the mill agents next Monday in regard to the changing of the time of shifting cars at the Merrimack street crossing.

NO MEETIMGS

THREE COMMITTEES COULD NOT GET QUORUMS.

The appropriations, cemetery and education committees of the city council were to have held meetings last night at city hall, but no quorums appeared and hence there were no meetings.

HELD IN $300

TWO MEN WERE CAUGHT RAILING CARS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 2.—William Clare of Boston, and Walter W. Monks, of Ashmont, N. H., arrested while ransacking an American Express car on the Boston Portland train early yesterday morning on arrival here, pleaded not guilty when arraigned today.

Probable cause was found and they were bound over to the superior court in the sum of $300 each.

BETTER GUARD

HAS BEEN ORDERED FOR THE CZAR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VIENNA, Oct. 2.—A dispatch from Muerzsteg, Syria, says the precautionary measures taken for the safety of the czar were largely extended today. The special reason for this has not transpired, but fresh detachments of gendarmes have been ordered to the hunting district, where all movements of unauthorized persons are prohibited during the times the czar and Emperor Francis Joseph are hunting. Additional precautions have been taken to guard the spot occupied by the czar during the chamois drives.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

Clark's Royal Runaway Girls made their initial appearance at the Academy of Music yesterday afternoon and the performance was repeated last night to a large and appreciative audience.

The performance closes up with an up-to-date school room extravaganza, entitled: "A King's Reception," which is laugh-ible from start to finish, the comical mathods and jokes being novel and up-to-date.

A bevy of pretty girls with fine voices and beautiful costumes present a very attractive appearance.

During the performance of the extravaganza the Misses Rose sing "Up and Down the Line," while six of the male members of the company render "Capt. Hard Ack," "Victory," as sung by Miss Jacques, received vociferous applause. "Any Key" was sung by Helen Bro[illegible] followed by the company, and M. J. Kelley sang the new success "The Man in Overalls," "Roger of Shumacoo," was sung by Abe Reynolds, assisted by the company, while "My Pipe is Out," was given by M. J. Kelley. The Burg Sisters gave a fine rendition of "Coronation Tree," while Ada Buttner, assisted by the company, sang "Volunteers." There was a strong olio of six turns.

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LOCKOUT ENDED

EMPLOYES GET UNION PAY AND HOURS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 2.—After a lockout of over seven months, the 600 employes of the plant of the American Corn Products company, known as the Chicago Glucose factory, will go back to work under union conditions with union pay and hours.

The trouble arose early in February when the brotherhood of carpenters and joiners organized the millwrights employed by the company and demanded 50 cents an hour. The company then locked out its men and the steam power council secured a settlement.

GENERAL SMITH ILL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 2.—General Orland Smith, formerly vice president of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad company, is critically ill at his home in this city.

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B. D. O'Connell, Esq., vs. Courier-Citizen

Bernard D. O'Connell, Esq., has brought suit in action of tort against the Courier-Citizen company of this city, for $10,000 and also against the Boston Herald for the same amount. The process was served by U. S. Deputy Marshal Waters yesterday. Mr. O'Connell is now a citizen of New York and the case will be heard in the United States circuit court.

BERGERON PROPERTY

SOLD BY C. F. KEYES FOR GOOD PRICES.

Seldom, if ever, have real estate holders in our city had the pleasure of seeing a parcel of real estate publicly sold, for thousands over its assessed valuation. But this is what occurred yesterday afternoon, when Mr. Keyes offered for sale the first parcel, the 3½ story block at Nos. 12, 14 and 16 Cabot street.

Some of our largest property holders were present, in an attendance of about 200 people, and they expressed very satisfactory comments, as it is a trend toward better prices and a rise in the market.

The first parcel was started by Mr. A. C. Wheelock, for $1,000, and was finally purchased by Mr. Patrick Brosnahan for $9000, plus taxes for two years, making the price about $9275, or about $3175 over the assessed valuation. The commissioner with Mr. Keyes then went to Pawtucketville and sold the residence at No. 325 Mammoth road to Mr. James Saunders for $3445 plus two years' taxes, making a total of about $3648. At the sale there was great competition. The adjoining lot was also purchased by Mr. Saunders for $505 plus taxes, making total about $623. This showed a slight percentage over the assessed valuation.

The cottage house at No. 311 Mammoth road was purchased by Mary P. Bergeron for $910 plus taxes, making the price about $1000. The last parcel, a cottage house adjoining, was purchased by Mr. A. P. Hoar for $1125 plus taxes, making the price about $1213. The price of the last two parcels was equally good, considering the condition of the buildings. On the whole it was the opinion of most everyone present that it was the most successful public sale of real estate held in Lowell for some time.

Commissioners Wm. A. Hogan, W. W. Duncan and James G. Hill felt much gratified over the sale and personally thanked Mr. Keyes for his work and labor in bringing about such good results.

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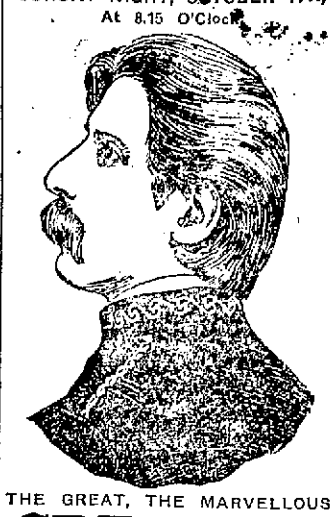

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Another Blaze Broke Out in Burbank Block

The fire department was summoned to a blaze in the ill-fated Burbank block in Prescott street early this morning, and though the fire did not amount to much if it had not been discovered at the time it was, the building might have been gutted for the second time this year.

Police Officer Noye was passing through Prescott street about quarter to three when he noticed the reflection of a fire in one of he rooms on the third story. He immediately rushed to the square and pulled in an alarm from box 13 which is located in front of The Sun building.

The department was prompt in arriving. The fire was in the hallway on the third floor and was in a tin ash can. A stream from the extinguisher put an end to the fire. It is hard to tell what caused the fire, but Assistant Chief Norton, who is acting chief while Chief Hosmer is attending the convention, told a representative of The Sun that without doubt something of a combustible nature had been thrown into the can. There was no damage.

FIRE IN GREEK DISTRICT.

The firemen had no sooner got back from the alarm from box 13 and got comfortably located in bed and preparing for a rest, when an alarm from box 125 brought them to their feet again. The fire this time was in Lewis street in the property owned by R. G. Bartlett, and occupied by Greeks.

The alarm was pulled in a few minutes before 4 o'clock and the fire was caused by the overturning of an oil stove which set fire to the woodwork. One of the occupants of the house had got up and was preparing breakfast when the stove was accidentally overturned. Almost every Greek in the neighborhood was on the street to learn the extent of the fire. The damage was slight.

MYSTERIOUS FIRE.

A fire, the origin of which is yet a mystery, started in the house owned and occupied by Mrs. Benjamin Walker, at 100 Appleton street, at 10.45 o'clock last night. A curtain in one of the rooms got afire and communicated to a sofa pillow and the fire was blazing in a merry manner when discovered.

There was no one in the room when the fire started and as the gas light is on the opposite side of the room it is hard to imagine what could have started the blaze.

TRADE FEATURES

Merchants are Cutting Down Orders

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Special telegrams to the International Mercantile agency regarding more important trade features are summarized as follows:

Some concern has been felt lest the wage reduction movement begun by pig iron makers and in the building trades in St. Louis and elsewhere may extend to other lines. Merchants in staple lines have begun to cut down orders somewhat.

Wholesale and retail trade in the iron and coal regions is somewhat upset over the shut-downs present and prospective, talk of cancellations of orders for some varieties of steel, and checked buying by some manufacturers. In other directions trade is encouraging. In New England distribution runs 15 per cent. ahead of last year.

It is now clear that there will be a two billion bushel crop of corn and that wheat will be above an average. This is already reflected in a better movement, export purchases, a better supply of commercial bills and a drop in foreign exchange. Cotton receipts are far behind last year.

Aside from iron mine and furnace regions and in some building lines, careful canvass reveals no tendency thus far to reduce wages.

New England cotton mills are slowly resuming. Woolen mills are running full time.

Wall street reaction hit money interests at a number of central and western cities with evidence shown in some instances in effects upon business enterprises. Demands for funds for legitimate business are very heavy. Banks are having all they can do to meet requirements.

EDITOR VAN DUSE DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WINONA, Minn., Oct. 2.—Fred N. Van Dusse, managing editor of the Evening Republican and Herald, is dead, aged 36. Mr. Van Dusse for several years acted as Washington correspondent for the Twin City newspapers.

LIEUT. PEARCE DROWNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 2—H. M. S. Flora, after a cruise extending as far as Sitka, has returned to Comox and reports the loss of Sub. Lieut. William C. Pearce, who was drowned while the ship was in northern waters.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE!

GREATEST SHOE OFFERING Lowell shoe buying public ever have had opportunity to attend. 15,610 pairs Finest Footwear made, comprising stock of the 20TH CENTURY SHOE STORE TO BE SOLD FOR CASH. Wearers of our shoes in the past well know the quality of this stock and will save dollars on their fall shoe bill if they attend this sale.

Read the following list of prices and you will know what is what.

98c LOT

Ladies' Kid Button and Lace Boots, were $2.00 and $3.00.
Ladies' Kid Oxford Ties, were $1.50 and $3.00.
Ladies' Kid House Slippers, were $1.50 and $1.75.
Child's School Shoes, Box Calf, were $1.25 and $1.50.
Youths' School Shoes, solid, were $1.25 and $1.50.
Ladies' High Cut Storm Boots, were $2.50 and $3.00.

$1.98 LOT

Men's Tan Lace Boots, Makey's, Nettleton, Curtis and Elite, were $3.50 and $5.00.
Ladies' Fine Kid Button and Lace Boots, were $3.00.
Ladies' Pearson Special Tan Boot, were $3.50.
Ladies' Kid Cloth Top Lace, were $3.00.
Ladies' Patent Vici Cloth Top Lace, were $3.50.

$2.98 LOT

Men's Elite Enamel Bals., were $3.50 and $4.00.
Men's Enamel Blucher Bals., French, were $4.50.

$1.48 LOT

Ladies' High Cut Welted Box Calf, were $3.50.
Ladies' Kid Button and Lace Boots, were $2.50.
Misses' Welted Lace Boots, were $2.00.
Misses' School Boots, were $2.00.
Boys' Tan Bals., hand-made, were $3.00.
Boys' School Shoes, solid, were $2.00.

$2.48 LOT

Ladies' Welted Button and Lace Boots, were $3.50.
Men's High Cut Box Calf Bals., Elite, were $4.00.
Ladies' Patent Vici Button and Lace Welted, were $3.50.
Men's Elite Patent Button and Lace Boots, were $3.50.

$3.50 LOT

All of Nettleton Patent and Enamel Calf Oxfords, were $5.00.

The above list is only a few of the many bargains that await you here. This space will not permit of full list. Come early and bring list of sizes. We will see to your wants as always have, this time with lowest prices in Lowell's history on Fine Footwear.

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THE HENS CACKLE A PROTEST.

"Back to the Woods" the Order to the City Hens

At 11.45 yesterday Judge Hadley rendered a decision in the police court forbidding the keeping of hens within the city limits without a written permit from the board of health, and Agent Knapp of that august body says that the board of health is not in the habit of giving such permits in writing. At exactly 2.30 yesterday afternoon every old hen, young hen and the rooster congregated on the south common and joined wings and cackles in an indignation meeting. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Wyandotte, with Miss Plymouth Rock as secretary, and after the brimming tears were wiped away Jennie Redcomb, a gay young rooster, took the floor at once and said:

"Dear old hens and unsophisticated pullets, I would a word with thee. Our rights have been trespassed upon and this is an indignation meeting. It may be that our forefathers and foremothers didn't come over on the Mayflower, but the fact remains that we have been permitted to enjoy as our ancestors enjoyed all the comforts and scratching liberty on the premises we occupy. We are not very well acquainted with court usages, but as lawabiding feathered folk we do know that the mandate of the court must be obeyed. As the aborigine, the red man, was driven from the view of the water fall to a reservation in the background, so are we being driven from the home of our childhood, from the pastures and sand mounds in which our ancestors scratched and frolicked to a post in the country where the ruling of the judge and the quibbling of the lawyer is unknown."

It may be that our eggs were decayed fruit and that our offerings were not what they should have been. It may be that we roosted too high and scratched too hard but we had our little families to take care of and we did the best we could.

A GREAT INJUSTICE.

Far be it from me to fill your combs, oh ye young and muscular roosters, with a desire for revenge. Far be it from me to induce ye pullets of tender years to "lay" for the men who have struck at our liberty, but as forbearing as the ruler of the coop would have me be I cannot help feeling that a great injustice has been done us. True, we are not taxpayers but we have supplied that which has paid the taxes. We laid egs in and out of season and would have laid bricks but for the fact that the act was a physical impossibility. Our services have been of the ten-fold order, and even when the hand of the human murderer fell upon a plump and pretty broiler we mourned a brother's loss in silence.

TO THE TALL TIMBERS.

In the book of pullets there is something said about the straw that broke the camel's back, and verily I say this is the straw intended to break our backs. We have lived here year in and year out, laying, cackling, crowing and scratching dirt as best we could and now, when the comb of erstwhile gay roosters are on the ragged edge our destiny is transferred to the court of man and despite the best efforts of our ever genial and staunch friend, Agent Knapp of the board of health, we are suddenly relegated to the tall timbers. Back to the woods, is the vulgar reading of the court's mandate, and there is just the least little glimmer of hope in what light we may be held in the eye of a higher court.

Surely if a jury sits upon our case we may expect fair treatment. Juries, as a general thing, are composed of "moss-backs," the original producers of the poultry family, and it is up to them to assist us in holding down our city homes, but verily I say unto you that our chances look decidedly slim.

ROOSTER IS CHAIRMAN.

Finally the indignation meeting organized with the rooster as chairman.

One old rooster suggested that the whole gang "lay" for Judge Hadley.

"Oh, what's the use," said another. "If we do he'll get us into hot water, anyway."

Another hen, just at the age when parties and visiting are given up for home sewing evenings, said: "That's so, and I'm a little chicken-hearted about the fate of the rising generation of hens. I wonder if the judge has read "Roosevelt on Race Suicide," and

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CAN LAND CHINESE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 2—The China Commercial steamship company, operating steamers to this port, has won its fight for the right to land Chinese coolie laborers in Mexico. The news of the intention of the Mexican government to permit Chinese to land on its soil has just been received by steamship officials in this city.

APPOINTED POSTMASTERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—L. N. Ramsdell was appointed postmaster at New Frye, Maine, today.

Charles E. Osgood was appointed postmaster at Petersham, Mass., today.

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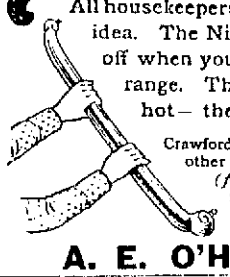

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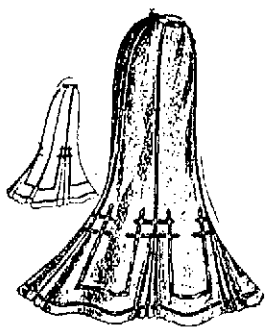

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THE SUN EXTRA

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PRESIDENT'S NAME

Was Forged to a Telegram it is Charged

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 2.—Forgery of the official title of the head of the nation figures in an attempt made yesterday to save the three Van Wormer boys from the death chair at Dannemora prison. Less than half an hour before the time set for the execution Warden Deyo received the following telegram:

West Point Station, Oct. 1, 1903.
To George Deyo, Warden:
The Van Wormer boys must not be executed today. A stay has been granted.
By order,
The President of the United States.

The warden at once consulted with some of the witnesses present and concluded that the message was a forgery sent with the expectation of delaying the execution beyond the official day.

It was concluded first that the president could not interfere except through Gov. Odell and second that a reprieve could not be accepted by telegraph, but must be by personal signature or in personal interview by telephone, no attention was therefore paid to the telegram, but every endeavor will be made to find the sender and prosecute him or her.

Another incident of the execution yesterday was the suspension of Keeper Davis for selling to certain newspapers the contents of personal messages written by the Van Wormers to their friends.

RECEIVER'S SUIT

CALLED UP IN THE SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 2—After numerous delays the suit of Receiver Pepper of the Bay State Gas company of Delaware, against the various gas companies of this city, came up before Judge Braley in the Supreme judicial court today. The petitioner seeks to have the sale of the Boston gas companies under a merger and re-organization proposition to Kidder Peabody & Co. set aside, and to prevent the transfer of the stock of these companies to the Boston Consolidated Gas company. The defendants include beside the Boston gas companies, trustees Rogers and Whittridge, the Mercantile Trust company, Kidder, Peabody & company, the trustees of the Massachusetts Gas companies and Receiver Hallock of the Bay State Gas company of New Jersey.

SKULL FRACTURED

EVERETT MAN WAS ALMOST INSTANTLY KILLED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

EVERETT, Oct. 2—There was a fatal accident at the Cochrane chemical works yesterday afternoon by which Fred G. Perry, aged 46, residing at 166 Broadway, was almost instantly killed.

Perry was a carpenter and was putting up some shafting in the boiler room when he was struck by a piece of machinery and hurled across the room. The blow fractured his skull. He leaves a wife and two children.

NARROW ESCAPE

TWO PERSONS SAVED FROM DROWNING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 2 There was quite a little excitement in the vicinity of the public landing at City Point, South Boston, shortly after 6 o'clock last evening. A man and woman, who would not give their names, had hired a boat and were returning to the landing when the boat capsized.

Michael Scott of 826 East 5th street and John Hickey of 96 Q street went to their rescue, and succeeded in keeping their heads above water until Patrolmen Crane and Wotherbee came to the rescue and pulled the couple out of the water.

They refused further assistance and in their wet clothes boarded a car and went away.

MASSACHUSETTS' MASCOT DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2—There is gloom over the crew of the battleship Massachusetts at the navy yard, for Rodgers, the bull terrier mascot of the vessel, is dead. Rodgers broke a leg in a fight with the big Newfoundland mascot of the training ship Hartford a year ago, and it had to be amputated. Last Saturday Rodgers drank a pail containing a solution of caustic potash used in cleaning the decks. He lived until today. Escorted by a marine guard, the body of Rodgers, wrapped in an American flag, was borne by four jack tars of the Massachusetts this morning to a freshly dug grave on the ordnance dock.

EXCHANGES AND BALANCES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 2—Exchanges $23,065,454; balances $3,005,083.

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SOCIALIST MAYOR

HIS APPOINTMENT UPHELD BY ALDERMEN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HAVERHILL, Oct. 2.—The aldermen last night confirmed the list of precinct officers appointed by Mayor Flanders. The republicans and democrats secure 72 each and the socialists 48, the latter being inspectors and deputy inspectors.

The board adopted resolutions upon the death of ex-Mayor Charles Sheppleigh. Mayor Flanders appointed Aldermen Trudel, Archibald and Castleton as members of the special committee to confer with the park commissioners relative to the establishment of a public playground.

HEAVY FIRE LOSS

RECORD FOR FIRST SIX MONTHS OF 1903 IN NEW HAMPSHIRE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CONCORD, N. H., Oct. 2.—According to returns received at the office of the insurance commissioner, there were 418 fires in New Hampshire during the first six months of 1903. The loss on buildings was $524,777; on contents $360,118.

The insurance paid on buildings was $325,871; on contents $116,255. The fire loss for this half year was more than that for the whole years 1892, 1893, 1894 and 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898 and 1900, and almost equal to that for the whole years 1899 and 1901.

The number of buildings totally destroyed was 226. This is due to the great Lakeport fire, in which 116 dwellings and 14 tenements were destroyed.

AT MOTHER'S CASKET

YOUNG WOMAN MARRIED TO CAR CONDUCTOR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LIMESTONE, Me., Oct. 2.—A sensational wedding took place here yesterday, when at noon, Miss Mary Nickerson of this town, was married to Guy Crockett, formerly of Limestone, but for some time a conductor on the Portland street railway. The wedding took place beside the casket of the groom's mother and the wedding guests, who had assembled in large numbers, two hours later attended the funeral services in the same room the bride and groom being among the mourners.

MARTIN AT LARGE

HE WAS SEEN AT GAYSVILLE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NORTHFIELD, Vt., Oct. 2.—Word was received late yesterday from Gaysville, a village 40 miles south of this place, that a man answering the description of Adelbert Martin, wanted for assault upon Mrs. Frank Trombley at South Northfield, stopped at a house near the village yesterday and asked for food.

After receiving the food the man left the place hurriedly and disappeared in the woods near by.

Constable J. A. Hutchinson left for Gaysville last night.

The search today was continued by a half-dozen officers, but beyond the clew received from Gaysville nothing throwing any light upon the whereabouts of Martin has developed.

FOUL PLAY

BOSTON MAN DEAD IN WHEELING, W. VA.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WHEELING, W. Va., Oct. 2.—The body of Joseph Summers of Boston, Mass., has been buried in the cemetery at McMechen without any relatives being located. Summers met his death Sunday night, and there are suspicions that it was foul play. Shortly before midnight his body was found on the tracks at Benwood, near the Riverside mill. A train had passed over both legs, his left side had been crushed and there was a wound in his head made by some instrument which had penetrated the brain. He was still breathing when picked up, but died a few hours later, having never regained consciousness.

Summers had been working as a strike-breaker for the National tube company.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.

TO WASHINGTON

PAPERS OF THE BRITISH EMBASSY ARE TRANSFERRED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWPORT, R. I., Oct. 2—The British embassy will be moved to Washington as soon as possible, as a result of the death of Sir Michael Herbert, British ambassador. This step was determined upon yesterday by Arthur Rikes, chargé d'affaires, and the work of transferring the papers was begun at once.

The members of the embassy will leave for Washington Saturday, and their servants will be able to close the seat of the embassy here on Sunday. The members of the embassy have no idea who will succeed Sir Michael, and neither would hazard a guess yesterday afternoon. They are much cast down over the death of their chief.

TO PHILIPPINES

SECOND CAVALRY TO RELIEVE THE ELEVENTH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2—Orders have been issued for the movement of the 2d cavalry from the United States to the Philippines, to relieve the 11th cavalry.

The 2d is now stationed at Fort Meyer, Va., and Fort Ethan Allen, Vt., and two troops are at Fort Sheridan, Ill. The troops at Fort Meyer and Fort Ethan Allen will be relieved by the 13th cavalry on its arrival in the United States.

The 11th cavalry will take station at the new post at Des Moines, Ia. One squadron will be assigned temporarily to Forts Sheridan and Jefferson barracks, until quarters are completed at Des Moines; the remaining squadron of the 11th will take station at the cavalry and field artillery school, Fort Riley, Kan.

DEATHS

ROBINSON—The funeral of Charlotte Robinson, second eldest daughter of Mrs. Annie Robinson of 349 Oak street, Lawrence, was held Wednesday morning. The body reposed in a handsome ashes of roses colored casket, silver trimmed. The plate was inscribed: "Lottie Veronica Robinson, died September 29, 1903, aged 19 years, five months, 19 days."

About the casket were handsome floral offerings, tokens of the deep regard manifested at the death.

At 8.30 o'clock the body was conveyed to St. Mary's church, where the deceased was a regular attendant. There high mass was celebrated by Fr. C. H. Cullinane. During the rites the choir rendered appropriate selections. Many mourners attended the rites, there being relatives from Kingston, N. H., Haverhill, Lowell and Fitchburg.

After the rites the body was conveyed to the Immaculate cemetery, where burial took place. There were eight carriages in the funeral cortege.

The pallbearers were Edward Carney, Frank Gordan, Matthew Cantwell, James Moran, Daniel L. Crimmins and James Kelleher.

WALL STREET GOSSIP.

By Associated Press to The Sun

10.10 a.m.—The opening dealings showed considerable activity and buying orders were well distributed throughout the list. Metropolitan Street Railway and Pressed Steel Car rose about a point, but the changes as a rule were limited to small fractional gains.

11 a.m.—The opening rise brought out considerable stock which forced prices down a small fraction. The market then hardened gradually to a higher level than before. Gains in the western stocks, coalers, tractions and Amalgamated averaged about ½ but U. S. Steel stocks were rather sluggish. Canadian Pacific advanced 1¼, and there were gains of 1 to 1½ in Wabash pfd., Erie first and second pfd., Rocking Valley, Colorado & Southern first pfd., Chicago Great Western pfd. B., Wisconsin Central pfd. General Electric paper pfd. The market was subjected to pressure again toward 11 o'clock, Baltimore & Ohio, Norfolk & Western, St. Paul and Canadian Pacific reacting a point and dragging down the general market.

Noon. The tone of the market was rather heavy, but dull. Baltimore & Ohio was the only active stock that fell a point below last night. Dock pfd fell 4 and Tennessee Coal and Northwestern a point. Prices recovered to above last night before noon but continued dull.

Bonds were irregular.

1 p.m.—Room traders found little difficulty in bidding up prices in view of the dullness of the market. Purchases by the short interest helped the movement along and encouraged the bulls to hold their stocks. St. Paul, Atchison, the Pacifics, Reading, Louisville, New York Central, Manhattan and United States Steel pfd. were in the best demand and improved a point or more.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Cotton: Futures opened weak, Oct. 9.43, Nov. 9.45; Dec. 9.45; Jan. 9.45; Feb. 9.46 bid; March, 9.48, May, 9.54, June, 9.55 bid; July, 9.60 bid.

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THIRTY INJURED

Berlin Police Charged the Rioters

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Oct. 2.—Thirty persons suffering from sabre cuts have applied at the Red Cross stations to have their wounds dressed after a riot between omnibus strikers and non-unionists in Nettelbeck square here last night. The police on foot charged the rioters with drawn swords and finally mounted police cleared the streets. The strike is a small one, only about 1,000 men being engaged, but the men are embittered and violent.

COLONEL McGREW

TOOK DRINK OF ALCOHOL BY MISTAKE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 2—Col. Harold C. McGrew of Indiana, who was Wednesday elected commander of the National Navy and Army Veterans of the Spanish War, is in a New York hospital suffering from the effects of a serious mistake Wednesday.

Col. McGrew was suffering from a throat trouble and Wednesday afternoon went to his room and swallowed a dose of what he supposed was cough medicine. It turned out to be alcohol.

Col. McGrew's throat was burned so badly that he could not speak and could scarcely breathe. He was compelled to take a fast train for New York, where he put himself under the care of a physician, who ordered him to go to the hospital. He wired to his friends in this city yesterday that he might be compelled to undergo an operation.

SENATOR FAIRBANKS

NOT A CANDIDATE FOR VICE PRESIDENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 2. Senator Fairbanks of Indiana is not a candidate for the nomination for president or vice president, according to a statement made here yesterday by Representative Hemenway of that state. Mr. Hemenway said:

"Senator Fairbanks is not a candidate for the vice presidential nomination. He might think it necessary to accept the nomination if made, but he is in no sense a candidate, and does not want the place. The republicans of Indiana are for him for anything he wants, and would heartily support him, as they have the greatest confidence in him. The Indiana republicans are for the nomination of Roosevelt and some good man from our state or some other state, and they believe the ticket will be elected, too. Indiana can be depended on to contribute its electoral vote to the ticket."

FUNERALS

McGANN—John T. McGann, aged five months, child of Peter and Margaret, died this morning at the home of his parents, 1 and 2 Dutton street.

The funeral took place this afternoon and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery and was under the direction of Funeral Director Charles H. Molloy.

CURRY—The funeral of the late Michael Curry occurred this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his late home, 65 Moore street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased, including a number of out-of-town people. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Sacred Heart church in Moore street, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Tissaler, O. M. I. The choir under the direction of Mrs. A. Balaile Muldoon sang the Gregorian mass.

The bearers were Messrs. Owen Donohoe, Peter Cullen, Frank Curry and John J. Donnelly. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery, where the last solemnities of the Catholic church were solemnized by Rev. Fr. Tissaler, O. M. I. The funeral was under the direction of Funeral Director Thomas J. McDermott.

HER MAIDEN TRIP.

By Associated Press to The Sun

QUEENSTOWN, Oct. 2—The Dominion line steamer Columbus sailed from here this morning for Boston on her maiden voyage. She will shortly be transferred to the White Star line and be renamed Republic.

WILL TOW GALLIA.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 2.—The Boston steamer, Orion, which arrived early today, will leave late in the day with the disabled steamer Gallia, in tow, for New York. The Gallia did not land her passengers here.

JOCKEY SHEA DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 2. Jockey William Shea, who was injured in an accident at Delmar track Wednesday afternoon, died today from concussion of the brain.

THROWN FROM CARRIAGE.

Philip Grosse, well known Italian hand organ manipulator, met with a severe and painful accident about 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in Lawrence.

The mishap occurred on Elm street, where the injured man resides.

A countryman of his who belongs in Lowell came along with a horse and team and called him to ride. The horse became frightened at an electric car which was coming on the Southern New Hampshire railway, and reared and kicked, finally breaking the shaft. The animal then became intractable and dashed along Elm street into Hampshire street, throwing Grosse and his companion from the vehicle. Officer Herrick witnessed the accident and carried Grosse, who was quite badly injured, to his home.

Dr. W. J. Sullivan was summoned and attended to the injuries of the unfortunate man. Grosse's companion escaped without injury. The infuriated animal was stopped on Hampshire street before further damage was done.

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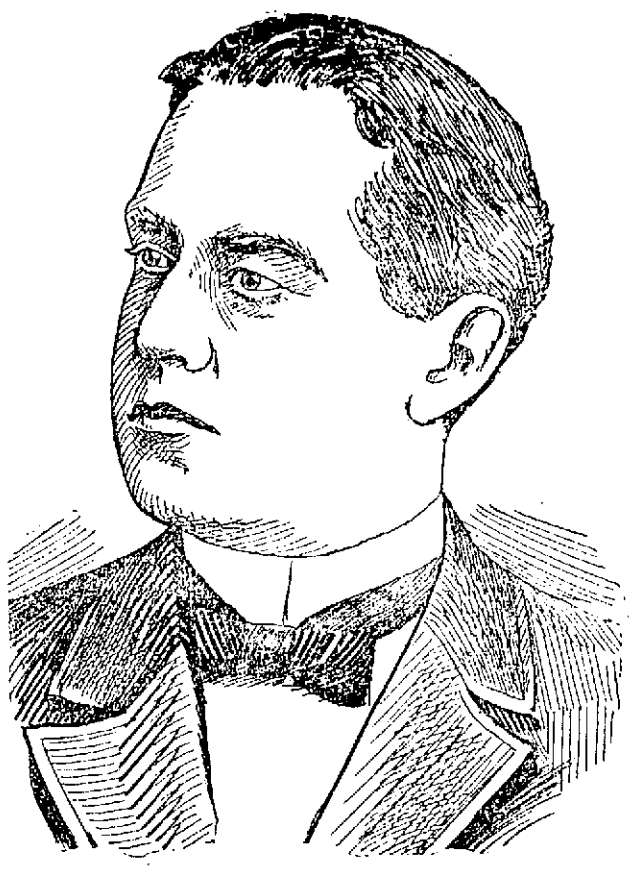

GOVERNOR BATES

Republicans Held State Convention in Boston

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 2.—In the same hall which yesterday was filled with democrats cheering to the echo the oratory of their leaders, the republicans of Massachusetts met today to nominate their state ticket, to adopt a platform for the coming campaign and to listen to the words of such speakers as the venerable Senator George F. Hoar, and Secretary of the Navy William H. Moody.

The assembly was large, the quota of delegates from all parts of the State being well filled. The proceedings anticipated as far as possible by the republican state committee, promised a smooth and expeditious transaction of business and the unanimous renomination of Governor John L. Bates, Lieut.-Governor Curtis Guild, Jr., and the remainder of the present list of state officers was assured.

As former governor Murray Crane was chairman of the committee on resolutions, it was expected that the platform would be characteristic of the man who, as chief executive, seldom was known to utter more than a few sentences in any public speech. It was expected that his committee report today would be unique for its brevity and for the conciseness of its statements.

The mottoes setting forth democratic sentiments which yesterday adorned the walls of Tremont Temple, had been removed and in place of them tasteful decorations of red, white and blue bunting had been hung, and there was a profusion of American flags.

The convention was scheduled to meet at 10.30, but not more than 300 delegates were in their places at that hour. The failure to assemble in larger numbers was attributed to the fact that the parade of the Honourable Artillery company of London was due to pass the hall at about that hour. In view of the meagre assembly the convention officers held a conference and decided to defer the opening until after the parade had passed.

The delegates began to assemble at 11 o'clock.

Major Talbot, chairman of the state committee, called for order at 11.45. After a short prayer by Rev. Elijah Horr of Medford the call for the convention was formally read, and Major Talbot was made temporary chairman and H. H. Atherton, Jr., and James H. Reynolds secretaries.

When former Gov. W. Murray Crane moved the appointment of a committee on resolutions he was received with loud cheers, mixed with shouts of "Hi, hi."

The credential committee reported that the convention was entitled to 503 delegates from 33 cities and 320 towns and that credentials had been received from 551 delegates.

The committee on permanent organization reported the name of Congressman Samuel L. Powers of Newton for permanent chairman and H. H. Atherton, Jr., of Stoneham and James H. Reynolds of Boston as secretaries.

The congressman was given an ovation. There was comparatively little quiet during the delivery of Congressman Powers' address, the delegates swaying between laughter and cheers. The speaker's frequent employment of anecdotes to illustrate his points convulsed the convention. Mention of the name of President Roosevelt brought the delegates to their feet with shout upon shout and the waving of arms. The spectators in the gallery joined in this demonstration.

The ladies, who formed a part of the gathering in the balconies, as witnesses of the convention, saluted former Governor Crane and joined in the convention's applause when he rose to read the platform. The resolutions follow:

THE PLATFORM.

The republicans of Massachusetts in convention assembled give their cordial endorsement to the administration of President Roosevelt.

An able, honest, fearless chief executive, we pledge to him our loyal support for the campaign of 1904.

We reaffirm our belief in the policy of protection to American industries. While admitting that tariff schedules should be revised from time to time to meet changing industrial conditions or to secure the benefits which may be obtained by reciprocity, we declare that the present tariff law should not be revised or changed, until the need of such action and the benefits to be obtained from it are clearly shown. Whenever industrial conditions shall require a readjustment of the tariff the work will be undertaken by the republican party, the friend and defender of protection, without unnecessary disturbance to business or commerce, and with fairness and justice to all American interests.

To uphold law and order should be the first duty of every American citizen. In many sections of the country there is a disregard of law which is bringing discredit to the nation. All parties should insist that public officials should be firm and resolute in the enforcement of law, regardless of personal or political consequences. In this land, dedicated to liberty and freedom, the rule of the mob should be suppressed.

The republican party favors legislation that is just and fair to all interests; that encourages and protects the enterprises of capital and promotes and safeguards the welfare of labor.

We heartily endorse the administration of Gov. Bates as able, safe and sucessful and confidently submit it to the voters for their approval at the election in November.

The condensed platform was accepted by a unanimous "aye."

There was a moment's quiet and then white-haired Senator Hoar arose. In an address in which he said that the country confidently expected from Massachusetts a handsome republican majority, in the coming election, and an example of wise and honest government throughout the coming year, Senator Hoar nominated John L. Bates for a second term.

SENATOR HOAR'S SPEECH.

Mr. President, I rise for a mere matter of routine. It is the good fortune of the republican party that its matters of routine are always so delightful.

There are two things the country confidently expects from Massachusetts.

One is a handsome republican majority in the coming election. The other is an example of wise and honest government throughout the coming year.

We come here today to make both these things certain. It is our supreme good fortune that both these things are matters of course.

Is not that party worth belonging to, in whose history wise and honest government, contentment, quiet, happiness, are commonplace?

Everybody, I think, has been satisfied with Governor Bates. We expected from him a great deal. But he has risen to the demands of his high office beyond our highest expectations.

I do not think there is a citizen of Massachusetts, of any party, who has read Governor Bates' state papers, or heard his address to the people on important occasions, without being delighted and surprised to see how he has filled the stature and the demands of his great office. He has not only given us some examples of excellent English, but he has shown that he fully comprehends the proper use of the Latin word veto.

There was one act of legislation, last winter, of which any considerable criticism is heard. As our democratic brethren selected the principal author of that statute, day before yesterday as the best man they could find to declare the doctrine of a pure democracy, we anticipate no considerable objection from them on that account.

I suppose all of us will look with some anxiety to see whether they have let down the bars in the matter of protecting the public from dishonest and fraudulent use of corporate power. If experience shall show that any mistake has been made, we can depend on both parties, who united in making it, to unite in correcting it.

I, therefore, Mr. President, move that His Excellency John L. Bates be nominated by acclamation for the office of governor of the Commonwealth for the coming year.

The senator's humorous references to the governor as having given "not only some examples of excellent English," but as having shown that he fully comprehends the proper use of the Latin word "veto," raised a laugh from the delegates.

The nomination was made by acclamation.

Secretary of the Navy William H. Moody was received by the audience standing and given three cheers and a tiger. He said:

"When I told the president of the kindness that my Massachusetts friends had done me by making me obliged to be present at your convention he charged me to bring his cordial greetings and his belief in the kind of republicanism which Massachusetts holds dear."

The speaker then congratulated the convention on not having any mottoes on the walls and referred to those of the democratic convention yesterday, mentioning the one in particular which said, "Hold your nose, they are going to investigate another department." The secretary said that this was probably a reference to the post office department investigation and added that the only congressman involved in this matter, or even under suspicion is a democrat.

Mr. Moody then in a humorous vein discussed the platform at the convention yesterday.

Then he brought the name of Curtis Guild, Jr., before the convention and he was nominated for lieutenant-governor by acclamation.

The balance of the ticket, including the present incumbents of the various offices, was nominated by acclamation as follows:

For secretary of state, William N. Olin of Boston.

For treasurer, Edward Bradford, of Springfield.

For auditor, Henry E. Turner, of Malden.

For attorney general, Herbert Parker, of Lancaster.

Today's nomination was the fifth which Mr. Bradford has received for treasurer and if elected this year, it will be his last term, as the tenure of office is limited by law to five years.

Committees sent after Gov. Bates and Lieut.-Gov. Guild soon appeared with the candidates, as the band played "Hail to the Chief." Round after round of cheers from floor and gallery greeted the chief executive and his associate. When order was restored Gov. Bates was introduced. He said:

Governor Bates said in part:

Mr. President, Gentlemen of the Convention:—

I accept your nomination; accept it as a great honor; accept it as a pledge of your support.

We face enemies no longer divided. They have harmonized differences by abandoning principles. They fight for offices and not measures. They seek not the maintenance of policies, but the maintenance of themselves. They are prodigal in promise, niggardly in fulfilment. They appeal to the discontented, the disgruntled, the unsuccessful, the disappointed; those whose acts have brought down upon them the heavy hand of the law. But the people of the commonwealth of Massachusetts are happy, successful, law-abiding. They have convictions and stand for them. They don't care to hold office, but do care for the honor of the commonwealth. They know that Massachusetts has grown great under republican protective policies and they will not abandon these policies for the free trade doctrines that have always proved disastrous to them. They recognize that Massachusetts has the best schools, the best railroad service, the best highways, the best courts, the best insurance laws, the best labor laws, the best savings banks, the best public institutions of any state in the union that these things have come with the republicans in control of the legislature for nearly half a century and also in control of the executive department in all but five years of that period, nor are they ignorant that the states having the poorest schools, poorest railroad service, poorest courts, poorest labor laws and poorest public institutions are those that have been entirely under democratic control that same period.

There is nothing in the record of the republican party that we would efface, but the democratic record has all been expunged by the party that made it. We will welcome the opportunity to discuss policies, issues, principles and records with men, but we will have no controversy with men who do not sufficiently respect themselves to use the language of gentlemen or who are not sufficiently intelligent to distinguish between argument and personal abuse.

I acknowledge my indebtedness for the valued services of the men whom you associated with me on the ticket last year. With their continued assistance, we promise the people, when your action has been endorsed at the polls, the best administration of the affairs of this grandest of all commonwealths, that our constant diligence and utmost endeavor can command.

At the close of his speech the audience arose and gave three cheers for the speaker, led by the chairman.

Lieut. Gov. Guild spoke very briefly, thanking the convention and expressing appreciation of the honor felt in being associated with Gov. Bates.

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GENERAL CORBIN

Assigned to Department of East

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2—Major-Gen. Corbin, adjutant-general of the army, is to be assigned to the Department of the East, with headquarters at Governor's Island, New York.

The order for General Corbin to assume command of the Department of the East will take effect at once and it states that he is given charge of the largest department in the United States in recognition of his services as adjutant-general during the Spanish war and the Chinese and Philippine campaigns.

An order has also been prepared in the war department directing General Chaffee, now commanding the department of the east, to take station in the war department for the purpose of familiarizing himself with the duties of chief of staff, which he will become when General Young retires in January.

HEARD BY COURT

AN INTERESTING CASE IN LEWISTON, ME.

By Associated Press to The Sun

AUBURN, Me., Oct. 2—In the supreme court yesterday afternoon, before Associate Justice Strout, was heard the petition of Narcisse Houle for a writ of mandamus to compel City Clerk John F. Slattery of Lewiston to correct his record showing the petitioner was found guilty of neglect of duty at the meeting of the mayor and aldermen Monday, July 23, when Houle was removed from the Lewiston police force. Aldermen Cailler, Mallet and William J. Murphy, Deputy Marshal Scannell, William Leheureaux, Joseph Walsh, M. T. McGillicuddy, Dr. Richard T. Leader and Police Officer Walsh testified that they were at the hearing and that no such action was taken in sustaining the charges of neglect of duty as the records show. J. L. Reade, clerk of the supreme court, gave evidence that only one written ballot was taken in regard to Officer Houle, which was upon the removal of that officer. Mayor Skelton testified that during a recess the board discussed the matter of the removal of Houle, and that all expressed the opinion that Houle was guilty except Alderman Mallet, who objected to the penalty and not to the question of guilt. Written ballots were used. In open meeting, the mayor said, he put the question whether the officer was guilty of neglect of duty or not, and the aldermen voted by show of hands. Written ballots were taken upon the punishment. City Clerk Slattery corroborated the evidence of the mayor. Alderman Purington gave evidence to sustain the mayor.

STILL BORN CHILD

FOUND ON LAKEVIEW AVENUE DUMP.

The body of a still born male child was found on the Lakeview avenue dump yesterday afternoon by one of the men employed there. It was bound up in a towel, and might have remained there for days, but for the fortunate discovery. Undertaker Brooks was notified and removed the body to his warerooms in Market street.

SIR THOMAS LIPTON

WILL SAIL FOR LONDON NEXT FRIDAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 2—Sir Thomas Lipton will leave here for New York tomorrow morning and sail next Friday for London. He has almost entirely recovered from his illness and his physician does not anticipate any relapse.

TWO CONVENTIONS

27TH DEMOCRATIC REPRESENTATIVE CONVENTION FIGHT.

The sixth district democratic senatorial convention will be held in the Town hall at Ayer next Wednesday, Oct. 7, at 2.30 p. m.

The 27th district democratic representative convention will be held in Jackson hall at 7.30 this evening.

JAIL SENTENCE

For the Two Curley Brothers

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 2—Representative James F. Curley and Thomas F. Curley, recently found guilty of impersonating other men in taking a civil service examination, were sentenced today to two months each in Charles street jail.

BRIDGE WORKERS

CONVENTION TO COME TO AN END TODAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

KANSAS CITY Mo., Oct. 2—In all probability the annual convention of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers will finish its important work today in the election of officers for the ensuing year. The Buchanan men still claim 46 votes for the re-election of Buchanan while the Parks element assert that they have forty-three votes pledged for Hugh F. Donnelly.

Aside from president, the only other contest is for secretary-treasurer. The Buchanan men will try to elect J. L. Milton, of Pittsburg, to succeed J. W. Johnstone of Local No. 2, of New York, the present incumbent, while Local No. 1 of Chicago will present P. J. Dalton of that city.

JURY DISMISSED

WITNESS SPOKE TO ONE OF THE JURORS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TAUNTON, Oct. 2.—Before Judge Waite, at the September sitting of the superior court in this city, the case of James R. Smith, and his wife, Jennie V. Smith, who are the principals in an action brought for damages for the sum of $10,000, came to an abrupt ending yesterday afternoon. The defendant corporation in the case is the Old Colony Street Railway company. Mr. Smith and his wife were seeking to recover for injuries received by being thrown from a carriage in which they were riding by a collision with a car. The case had progressed two days, and the defence was being put in. The court delayed in coming in yesterday afternoon, and, when it did, Judge Waite stated to the jury that one of the witnesses, a medical man, had spoken to one of the jury regarding the case at the noon recess. The jury was accordingly dismissed and court adjourned for the day.

GIRLS IN TROUBLE

MAY HAVE TO ANSWER FORGERY CHARGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2—Criminal prosecution now threatens Eva and Georgina Bradley, the pretty Cliffside (N. J.) girls, who were made the beneficiaries of the will of Mrs. Alicia Armstrong, which was declared Monday, by Surrogate Silkman of White Plains to be a forgery.

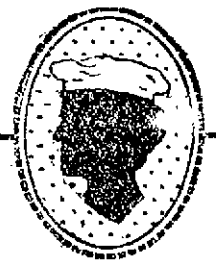
Today the grand jury will be asked to take up the case, and the authorities of Westchester county declare they will have the remarkable case probed to the bottom.

Three wills, bequeathing an aggregate of almost $400,000 to the two pretty barmaids, have now been declared forgeries, and a romance dating back nearly half a century has been developed.

A strange sequence of sudden deaths and insanity, about which, however, no suspicion of foul play lingers, has also been disclosed, and topping all is the line of Lawyer Walter M. Sherwood of Union Hill, representative of the two girls, that they have been made the innocent victims of someone who has plotted beyond the comprehension of the authorities who have taken hold of the case.

Since the disclosures in the case the Bradley girls have been kept close to their modest home at Cliffside by their mother, who conducts a small saloon there, and it was announced yesterday by the latter that no effort would be made by them to collect the fortunes which were devised to them by the three alleged forged wills.

"We want nothing more than comes to us lawfully," said Mrs. Bradley, "and will take no more."



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TILLMAN TRIAL

Newspaper Men on the Witness Stand

By Associated Press to The Sun

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 2—The reading of editorials from the State was concluded shortly after the trial of James H. Tillman was resumed today.

F. C. Withers, an employe of the State, testified that he assisted N. G. Gonzales into the office of the State from the street after the shooting. He was asked if he saw any weapon in the garments of Mr. Gonzales at that time and replied that he did not.

C. G. Terrell, editor of a newspaper in Florence county, was asked by Solicitor Thurmond if he ever heard Tillman make any threats. He replied that he was walking along the streets of Edgefield with Colonel Tillman in the early summer of 1902, he thought it was, and that he (Tillman) said: "He was going to run for governor and if Gonzales attacked him he was going down and then kill him, and I think he said "like a dog."

LARGE ATTENDANCE

AT WOMAN'S GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WHEATON, Ill., Oct. 2—The semi-finals in the woman's national golf championship today brought the largest galleries of the week, notwithstanding the threatening weather. A cold north wind was blowing when Miss Carpenter and Miss Harley, the first pair to start, teed off shortly after 10 o'clock for their 18 hole struggle. A gallery of several hundred followed the Osgood-Anthony and the Carpenter-Harley matches.

SEA BOARD SHARES

WERE VERY WEAK ON THE CURB.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct 2—Ladenburg, Thalman & Co., the financial representatives in this city of the Sea Board Air line interests, has no statement to make today regarding the affairs of the company. Sea Board shares were very weak on the curb, opening with losses of 5 and 2¾ per cent. for the preferred and common stocks later making further declines.

It is known that Ladenburg, Thalman & Co. recently took over the stock market holdings of Middendorf & Co. of Baltimore and J. S. Williams & Co. of Richmond, both of which are identified with the Sea Board system. This explains in part the recent heavy liquidation of such stocks as Pennsylvania, Baltimore, Chesapeake & Ohio, Norfolk & Western and a few others of that group. The Middendorf and Williams firms are said to have held from 80,000 to 100,000 shares of these stocks, which they offered as collateral for loans. The loans were closed out recently in this city and the stocks offered for sale in the market.

STATE TROOPS

PUT TO WORK WITH THE REGULARS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CAMP YOUNG, West Point, Ky., Oct. 2.—About 5000 enlisted men took the field today for the first of the series of combined manoeuvres for both regulars and militia. The work in the field consisted of six detached manoeuvres for advance guard. The general features of the problem were based on the relative position of the large imaginary blue and brown armies. The blues having been forced back to its base at Louisville by the brown army operating from Nashville and the blues having been reinforced, turn on the brown now located about 15 miles from West Point. The state troops were worked with the regulars, a detachment of the latter participating in each manoeuvre.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

MAN FROM WISCASSETT, ME., DROWNED HIMSELF.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2—A man supposed to have been David A. McRitchie of Wiscassett, Me., jumped from the pier at West 12th street early this morning, swam out 100 feet and sank. He evidently destroyed himself with most remarkable calmness, for in his hat which he laid upon the pier was a letter giving instructions to notify relatives and including his last will and testament. The writer stated that he desired his baggage at an uptown hotel should be forwarded to David J. McRitchie, Washington, D. C. The suicide's body has not been recovered.

REFUSED TO SING

FRAU GADSKI WOULD NOT SING IN MUSIC HALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Oct. 2—Frau Gadski refused to sing at the Wagner banquet last night because it was given in the winter garden music hall, which contains the largest accommodation in Berlin. She said she had never sung in a music hall and would never do so, but she attended the banquet. Her name was on the program.

Edgar Stillman Kelley, who was to have represented the United States, has withdrawn from the international concert to be given Sunday night, for the reason that the orchestra has been unable to learn the Chinese air from his opera, "Cadlin," and is likely to break down.

Alexander MacKenzie, the representative of Great Britain, and the Norwegian, Grieg, have also withdrawn for various reasons.

ANARCHISM DISCUSSED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ANTWERP, Belgium, Oct. 2.—The International Law conference terminated today after a desultory discussion of anarchism, which was referred to the next conference for a fuller debate.

DROP IN SUGAR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—All grades of refined sugar were reduced 10 cents a hundred pounds today.

HENRY CARGILL DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 2—Henry Cargill, a member of parliament, for the last 15 years is dead. Mr. Cargill was overcome by heart failure while at work in a committee room of the house.

GET NATURALIZED.

For the accommodation of persons desiring to become citizens Judge Hadley has assigned the following dates for naturalization:

Tuesday, Oct. 6, 2 p. m.
Friday, Oct. 9, 2 p. m.
Wednesday, Oct. 14, 2 p. m.

ANCIENTS ARRIVE

COL. SIDNEY M. HEDGES.

London Visitors Warmly Welcomed to Boston

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 2.—For the first time in many years, the red flag of England, guarded by British muskets, was borne through the streets of Boston today by the Honourable Artillery company of London as special guests of a similar organization, the Ancient & Honorable Artillery company of this city, and the two escorted by several regiments of Massachusetts militia.

Landing at Charlestown, almost on the very spot where their ancestors started on their memorable attack on Bunker Hill, 128 years ago, the red coats of the 20th century marched from their steamer, the Mayflower, over the bridge to Boston, and then through the streets resplendent with American and British flags to their hotels, which will be their home during their sojourn in this city. For five days they will be feted and entertained, and then, after a week's tour, which will include New York, Washington, Niagara Falls and Canada, they will be sent back to their own shores with, it is hoped, a feeling of respect for American hospitality.

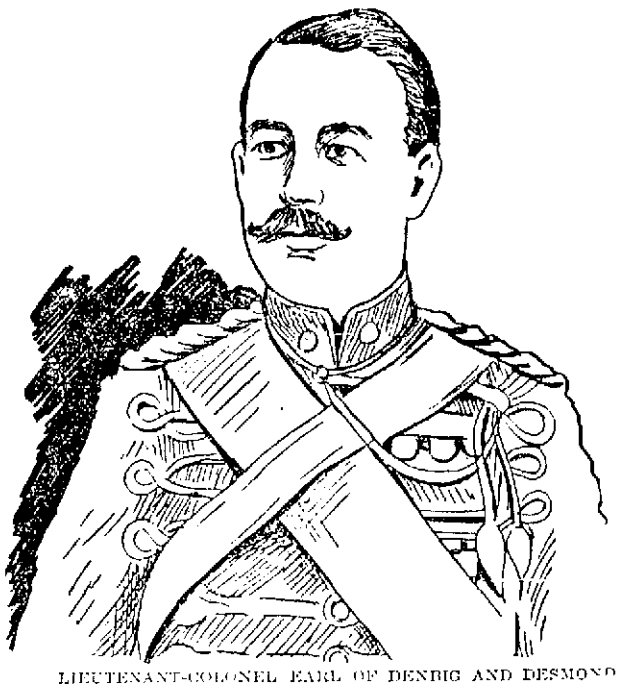
The Mayflower was sighted coming into Massachusetts Bay early in the morning, and before she had reached Boston light, a little steamer from the city ran alongside and Colonel Sidney M. Hedges, the commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery, accompanied by several of the staff boarded the Mayflower and welcomed the visitors, through their commander, the Earl of Denbigh. The latter, after expressing his pleasure in reaching Boston, said the trip across the ocean had been an uneventful one, though the last two or three days the weather was somewhat boisterous.

Through the courtesy of the government officials, the custom house inspection was practically omitted so that with little delay proceeded up the harbor. The ovation began before the Mayflower had entered the ship channel and from that time until it reached the dock salutes from the harbor fleet were continuous.

Before the visitors landed, the Mayflower was boarded by Adjutant-General Dalton, who extended in behalf of Governor Bates the official welcome of the commonwealth of Massachusetts to the Earl of Denbigh and the company.

THE PARADE.

As soon as the visitors landed and had formed their line, the procession started. The parade was one of the most spectacular that has been seen in Boston streets for some time. First came the First Corps of Cadets in their showy uniforms of white and blue, followed by the deep blue of the militia, which included the First regiment of Heavy Artillery and the Fifth, Sixth, Eighth and Ninth regiments of infantry. The National Lancers of Boston then slashed the line with their brilliant scarlet, but again the procession faded into deep blue as the British and Naval Veterans came along. This concluded the escorting column, for immediately following came the Boston Ancients. The various uniforms of the staff of this old organization have become traditional and include types which date back to the blue and buff of revolutionary days.



LIEUTENANT-COLONEL EARL OF DENBIG AND DESMOND

The main body of the Ancients, however, have a distinctive uniform of blue, with red facings, and there were nearly 300 of the organization in line. The British red of the Royal Garrison band of Halifax, N. S., once more added brilliancy to the line, and finally came the visitors also in the red of England, topped with nodding bearskins. Such a variation of color made the parade one long to be remembered.

After a march through the principal down-town streets and across Boston common where more than a century ago a British general had been vanquished by Boston school boys, the visitors were escorted to their hotels and the parade was dismissed.

Along the route of march, nearly all the business houses were gaily decorated and the great crowds which thronged the streets frequently cheered and applauded the visitors.

The first of the entertainments accorded the visitors will be a smoker in Faneuil hall tonight.

C. J. MULHOLLAND - - Cash Grocer

Smoked Shoulders	8½c lb.	Good Beans	7c can
Best Butter	26c lb.	Best Ketchup small size, 3 btls. for	23c
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Our Best Coffees	30c lb.		

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NO. 380 GORHAM ST.

SPECIAL NOTICES

MASON FRUIT JARS—We have a few left; pints, 50c; quarts, 48c; half gallons, 58c, and double trading stamps, either blue or green. Dickson's Tea Store, 68 Merrimack street.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The two o'clock and five o'clock editions of The Sun are on sale every day at both newsstands in the Union station, Boston.

HELP WANTED

LIFE INSURANCE MEN wanted; either spare or full time; experience not necessary; salary and commission. Investigate this proposition. Apply Manager, 13 Merrimack square, room 1.

WANTED—Woman to do light housework and care for two children. Apply 131 Cushing street.

WANTED—Carpenters. Apply at once to D. F. Lord, Soldiers field, Brighton, Mass.

WANTED—A few more ladies to bind slippers. 13 East Merrimack street, one flight up.

WANTED—Barber at once; steady job. Call Parade, 24 Middlesex street.

WANTED—Girl to do light housework at once. Call 46 Bartlett street.

WANTED—A thoroughly competent house girl, must be a good cook and laundress; this is a good place for the right party. Inquire at 541 Westford St.

WANTED—Reliable woman to work in a small boarding house. Apply Mrs. E. A. Hall, Cottage row, North Chelmsford.

WANTED—Young people to do copying at home; no deception; send stamp. Standard Supply Co., Box 28, Worcester, Mass.

WANTED—Meat cutter as a partner in the meat business, we have the horse and cart. Call after 7 p. m. 173 Merrimack street, room 2.

BARBER WANTED at T. J. Smith's, 284 Fayette street; steady job.

WANTED—Girl for general housework in family of three. Inquire 70 Willow St.

WANTED—A wet nurse without baby. Apply 141 Cabot street.

WANTED—A girl to assist in housework. Apply 6 Elliot street.

WANTED—Comb tenders, gill box tenders and card room help; also 1909 section hands for the combing room; good wages for experienced help. Address box 35, Perre Plains, Mass.

WANTED—Man to work on farm, must be temperate and understand care of poultry. Call at 38 Middlesex street, room 18.

WANTED—Young men to learn pulling over. Apply at Stover & Bean's, Hood building, Thorndike street.

WANTED—Six good carpenters. Apply at 11 Wilson street or 149 D street.

WANTED—Person to call on retail trade for manufacturing house; local territory; salary $23.75, paid weekly, expense money advanced, previous experience unnecessary; business successful; inclose self-addressed envelope. Standard house, Chicago.

WANTED—A good kitchen woman at 335 Liberty street. Wm. W. Boardman.

WANTED—A middle-aged woman to keep house for two people and one child; good home to the right party. Call this evening and Sunday, rear 124 High street.

WANTED—Two industrious men of sober habits, salary and commission; greatest chance ever offered for rapid promotion. Call between 4.30 and 5.30 p. m., No. 5 Grosvenor block. J. J. Whelton, asst. manager.

WANTED—A second girl at 75 Appleton street.

WANTED—An old lady to take care of two children. Apply at 4 Concord place.

WANTED—Reliable men, over 30 years of age, to represent us in Hampden county; good, permanent position; references. C. R. Burr & Co., nurserymen, Hartford, Conn.

WANTED—Girl to do general housework in family of four persons; good wages. Address G., Sun office.

WANTED—Housegirl at Employment office, 584 Gorham street.

WANTED—Ex agents of the John Hancock, Prudential and Metropolitan Insurance companies will hear something to their advantage by calling at 31 Elliott street from 7 to 8 p. m. Inquire J. T. Fitzgerald.

WANTED—Experienced girls to make paper boxes. Apply C. F. Hatch & Co., 75 Church street.

GIRLS WANTED

For electrical work; age 16 to 22 years.

Apply or write Supt. General Electric Co., West Lynn, Mass.

TO LET

TO LET—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping; rent $2.25 per week. Apply 19 Hurd street.

TO LET—Tenement of seven rooms at 32 Cady street. Apply 31 Gorham street.

TO LET—Modern nine-room house on Dover street; large yard, fruit and shrubbery, splendid neighborhood. Will be vacant Oct. 1. E. H. White, 137 Central street.

TO LET—One large furnished room on first floor, another room up two flights, on First street. Apply at Sun office.

TO LET—Steam heated rooms, gas and bath at 159 Gorham street.

TO LET—Pleasant upstair tenement of 7 rooms; pantry, bath and good piazza; separate doors; at 329 Fairmount street, junction of Rogers. Apply 311.

TO LET—A 5 room tenement with bath, hot and cold water. Inquire at 42 Barker street.

TO LET—Tenement of six rooms and bath at 296 Moore street; good location; rent $14.

TO LET—Cottage house on Batchelder's court. Key and information at next door.

TO LET—Our aim is to furnish tidy, attractive tenements to quiet, self-respecting families at the lowest possible cost; if you are looking for a tenement that is pleasant and healthful, with good neighbors and at the same time is low in price, call and see us. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

TO LET—Tenement at 1 Branch place; rent $11. Inquire 35 Willie street.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Gold eyeglasses in case Tuesday evening on Merrimack street. Reward for return to D. L. Page Co., 91 Merrimack street.

LOST—Thursday between East Dracut and Lowell, a camera in leather case. Return to 570 Merrimack street and receive reward.

FOUND—Stray horse, chestnut with bob tail, two white feet, white spot on forehead. Owner can have by calling at 271 Aiken street.

FOUND—A Boston terrier bitch. Owner can have by proving property. Edward McLaughlin, Lowell road, Nashua, N. H.

LOST—Down town, Tuesday, a white and brown water spaniel; collar marked Dandy Dudley, 53 Newtonville avenue, Newton, Mass. Please send information to 54 Marlborough street, city.

LOST—In Middlesex street station, a bill book containing a sum of money. H. & M. trip book, and gold locket. Reward at 45 Marginal street.

LOST—Bill book on Tuesday evening, containing sum of money and deposit check on John Hancock Insurance Co. Reward for return to 11 First street.

LOST—Sept. 19, on Middlesex street between Cloche's restaurant and Central street, $5 bill. Return to Sun office and receive reward.

FOUND—A silver watch. Owner can have by calling on Mr. Brick, Elsmere, Dracut, Mass., after 7 p. m., proving property and paying advertisement.

FOR SALE

AUCTION SALE Thursday, Oct. 8, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, fine line of household furniture at 21 Powell street, near Shaw hosiery.

FOR SALE—Carload of new milch cows and springers from Vermont. Jason Fuller's farm, Wamesit, Mass.

FOR SALE—Fine cabinet $95 organ; good as new; $15, easy terms; $35 cash. Room 2, No. 13 Merrimack square.

FOR SALE—New White and Household sewing machines, wholesale price; one good White $10, one Dombsite $1. Room 2, No. 13 Merrimack square.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred R. P. Rock and R. I. Red pullets cheap. E. Vincent, Amesbury street, Elsmere, Dracut. Call day time.

FOR SALE—Oldsmobile 1902 model, emergency brake; has been but little used. Inquire Upton & Gilman's, Middlesex St.

FOR SALE—An open end spring piano box buggy. Apply 79 Royal street.

FOR SALE—Bay pacer and pneumatic wagon. Call at room 45, Bon Marche.

FOR SALE—Parlor stove, almost new. Apply Joseph Coto, 17 Davis street, Pawtucketville.

FOR SALE—Portable pool and billiard table, suitable for house use; will sell cheap if taken at once. Inquire No. 19 Sydney street.

FOR SALE—Restaurant doing a good business, a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 69 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—Two nice male collie puppies, 4 months old, kind and affectionate; cheap to good home. Apply Billings' livery stable, Merrimack street, opposite Tremont.

FOR SALE—A variety store situated in a good business neighborhood, established trade of seven years; an exceptionally fine place for one who dressmakes; poor health of owner reason for selling. For all particulars, terms, etc., inquire of E. R. Donovan, room 1, Swan block, 26 Central street. It may be your opportunity.

RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices. 1-in. one line stamps 15c; 1½ in., 20c; 3/0 ink pads, 15c; 25c ink pads, 15c; 10c linen markers, 25c; business stamps, 1½c. per line. J. M. Bellows, 139 Merrimack St.

MISCELLANEOUS

IF YOU WANT your mattresses made over at your home call at 240 Central St.

PARLOR MILLINERY—Mrs. A. Van Hise, 95 Gates street; opening Friday and Saturday; choice line of trimmed hats and latest millinery novelties.

DR. A. THOMSON'S Prevention and Cure is as harmless as bread; you can't take cold if you try; you don't know you are taking medicine. For sale at all druggists, 25c per bottle.

IF YOU WANT to sell your house or farm let me hear from you quickly. If you want fire, life or accident and sickness insurance, it will pay you well to know what I can give you. M. J. Sharkey, Swan's building, 26 Central street.

MRS. FLETCHER, 701 Gorham street, trance business medium and card reader.

J. W. GREENLAW, carpenter and general jobber, 68 Middle street, Lowell, Mass. Telephone 836-13.

DRINK GLORIA—Look out for imitations and don't be an easy mark for frauds. Doyle Bros. Telephone.

PRIVATE LESSONS in English given to those who desire for 15 cents an hour; also lessons in drawing and painting for children; oils, water colors or crayon; 25 cents an hour; hours from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. Miss Wilkins, 160 Andover street.

TEXTILE SCHOOL TABLETS and stationery at S. A. Garson's, successor to E. A. Burgess, stationer and newsdealer, 8 Central street, Lowell.

BUY YOUR HAT at Delorme's, where you can have it cleaned free of charge for one year. Repairing a specialty. 261 Middlesex street.

MADAME LENORE, clairvoyant and card reader, corner Lawrence and Tyler streets. Ladies 25c., gentlemen 50c. Hours 10 a. m. to 12 and 2 to 10 p. m.

LANDSCAPE GARDENER and turf grading. Apply M. J. Bloomfield, 31 West Fourth street.

THE COLONIAL COLLEGE of Dramatic Arts, Swan building; acting, elocution, oratory, dramatic literature. Call or write for prospectus.

MICHAEL SCHWARTZ, corner Market and Palmer streets, makes all kinds of shoes for cripples and deformed feet at lowest prices; also all kinds of repairing done in first-class manner.

SAVE MONEY by buying your wall papers and having your paperhanging done at D. Baker & Co.'s, 150 Gorham St. We will paper your room with gilt paper for $2. Good workmanship guaranteed; send postal, will call with samples.

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE bought and sold; also furniture moving done in a careful manner; always big bargains at our store. McGauvran Bros., Merrimack street, opp. City hall.

LADIES Dr. LaFrance's Compound gives positive relief. Powerful combination. Used by 200,000 women. Price 25 cents. Druggists or by mail. Address LaFrance & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

MOTHERS—Rent's Destroyer kills lice on children and all insects. Cures dandruff and itching scalp. Prevents falling hair. Harmless. 25c. Only at Falls & Burkinshaw, 418 Middlesex street.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Double house on East Merrimack street, near High; two baths. Particulars 9 Elm street.

WANTED

WANTED—Those little rendts on your house or other work in the carpenter jobbing line. Address Fogg, 11 Queen street.

NURSE—A few more engagements; confinement cases specialty. Mrs. Linehan, 130 Hale street.

WANTED—To buy home in the city for cash; only those that wish to sell and sell low need apply. Box 435, city.

LADIES wishing to make their own dresses will now have the opportunity to learn the Penley Dress Cutting System at 62 London street. Come now.

WANTED—Amateur photographers to know that this is the best place in town to have your work done. Price Right, Work Right. Special attention given to retouching, viewing and mechanical work of all kinds. Open evenings, 7 to 9. A. Ernest Clark, photographer, 59 Middle St.

MONEY TO LOAN

PAWNBROKER—Money to loan; money loaned on all valuable articles, clothing; rates reasonable. A. Stein, 343 Middlesex street, Lowell, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 5, Swan building, 26 Central street.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security. Boarding houses, retail merchants, and salaried people; easy payments; lowest rates in city. Merrimack Loan Co., 25 Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters, boarding houses without security; easy payments; largest business in 42 principal cities. Tolman, Room 26, Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN at short notice on furniture, pianos, etc. Loans paid off and more money advanced. All business strictly confidential. Address W. E. Lefebas, Room 9, Barristers hall.

ANY BUSINESS can be improved by advertising it in this column.

SITUATIONS WANTED

YOUNG LADY wants employment in office or as saleslady; experienced; can also operate typewriter. Address box 9, Sun office.

WANTED—A situation as housekeeper by widow with child 6 years old; very reliable housekeeper and first-class cook; in good family, none others need apply. Address X. Y. Z., Sun office.

WANTED—Situation at light housework. Address 52 Bridge street.

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SWORN CIRCULATION FOR SEPTEMBER

The sworn daily average circulation of the Lowell Sun for the month of September, 1903, was **14,632** A gain of 1125 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, Oct. 1, 1903.

WILLIAM A. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

Gaston and Olney. There's victory in the combination.

First blood for Pittsburg, but Boston still has a chance.

The enthusiasm that marked the proceedings of yesterday's democratic convention was an absent feature of the republican gathering.

The ticket is named. Now get to work on the check lists. Let every eligible democrat be registered and the November vote will testify to the strength of the party in this city.

The republicans had their usual county convention fight. Now it's for the democrats to select strong men for the county offices and make a fight as vigorous as that which will be waged throughout the state.

FEMALE STUMP ORATORS.

It would seem from the results attained by the recent experiment that the female stump orator will not be considered as a potent factor in the political contests of the future. We believe in affording women every opportunity to enter the various fields of industry and the professions, but we really feel that a woman on the stump in a political campaign is very much out of place.

THE DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.

The platform adopted by the democratic state convention is one that will commend itself to every thinking man in the state. It is a practical declaration of sound principles that must appeal to the people at large. The candidates who have been chosen to make the fight on this platform are men of unquestioned ability in their respective professions, men who will win the confidence of the people and who if elected, will administer the affairs of state in a business like manner, regardless of political conditions and, with a view only to keeping the old Bay State in the front rank where she belongs. The platform comes out strongly for home rule in cities; it charges, and properly too, that the republican party has assumed a position directly opposed to the welfare and best interests of Massachusetts.

On the question of popular rights, the platform is solid, direct and patriotic. With such candidates and a platform, framed for the whole people, unhampered by partisanship, yet thoroughly democratic, the state of Massachusetts should return to the democratic column as in days of the lamented Russell, when democrats ruled with a conservatism and patriotism that commanded the respect and admiration of the entire country.

NO DISCRIMINATION.

It has been openly asserted that the water board is extremely partial in dealing with the corporations of the city, and that they have made concessions to the corporations which they would not make to ordinary consumers. If this charge is not refuted it leaves the water board in a very unenviable position. There should be no preferences in dealing out the city water. All should be treated alike. The water board makes an extra discount to large consumers, which we believe is contrary to the spirit of municipal government. It would be just as reasonable to say that the heaviest taxpayers should have a lower rate per thousand. How would it seem if the United States government were to sell postage stamps at a discount to large consumers; and yet the idea of selling water which is pumped at the public expense, at different prices per thousand gallons is just as absurd. It is an unjust discrimination and we believe it is illegal. We do not see where the water board gets its authority to charge one person more for a thousand gallons of water than it does another, and we believe if the matter were taken to the courts the action of the board would be declared illegal. If any discrimination at all is made it should be in favor of the small consumer. The real purpose of distributing water is to serve the public and improve the public health.

If there is any concession to be made in the rate, we believe it should be in favor of the small tenement house consumer. The small family rate should be as low as possible, and the last rate to be lowered is that of the large consumer, who can well afford to pay for the water he uses. Besides there should be but one rate for quantity. We are not alone in the belief that the corporations feel that they can get any favor they ask from the Lowell water board. It is well known that the chairman of the board is extremely partial to the corporations. This may be because of the fact that he receives a great deal of his business from the corporations and it may not. But regardless of this, there are enough level-headed men on the board to see that the taxpayers and the corporations as well, receive justice, and nothing more or less. The taxpayers know when they are used unfairly, and they are pretty generally of the opinion that it is time for the water board to mend its ways in certain directions.

THE LABOR WAR.

Without entering into the question as to which side is right, or where lies the blame for the present disturbed condition of the labor market, it can safely be asserted that at no time in our history have the industries of the country been in a more dangerous condition than they are today. Nearly every business, trade and industry is affected by the labor war which is now raging throughout the length and breadth of the land. It is high time that some remedy for this unsettled condition should be found. Unless the remedy is applied, and applied quickly, the effect upon business will be injurious. True, there never was a battle where one side or the other was entirely in the wrong or where one side or the other did not go to extremes, but whatever the merits of the causes at issue it is plain to every observing person that the present conflict between capital and labor is developing into a bigger curse to this country than the Civil war, and we really believe it has already been far more costly to the people.

Another year of the present unsettled condition of our trades and industries would inflict lasting injury not only upon our domestic trade but more particularly upon our foreign commerce. It has been predicted by men of wide experience, gifted with that wisdom which sees far into the future, that unless the American employer and employe settle their differences very soon, they will lose the markets of the world. We produce today twice as much as we consume, and it is, therefore, necessary for us to have a foreign market for nearly all our products. Our foreign market has been extending gradually for the last ten years until we actually alarmed the powers of Europe. The Europeans, however, are just now watching our prolonged labor troubles with a great deal of satisfaction, and they agree that if the war continues long enough, they will have no need to fear American competition in the future. In view of this danger is it not time for the employer and employe to get together, settle their differences, and agree upon some basis that will be equitable to both and at the same time establish a condition of stability in our trades and industries that will make us once more the envy and terror of the foreign manufacturer.

HARVEST SUPPER

AT THE GRACE UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

The annual harvest supper of the parishioners of the Grace Universalist church, conducted under the auspices of the Grace Church Alliance, was held last night, and both in point of attendance and financial returns was a great success. A sumptuous repast was served in the vestry from 6 until 7.30 o'clock.

The matrons were Mrs. Abbott and Mrs. Dr. Wood. A large number sat down and enjoyed an excellent menu which was served under the direction of Mrs. Fred Brown.

Beginning at 8 o'clock, and for over an hour the following very pleasing program was carried out:

Solo, Osmond Long; violin solo, Miss Florence Nix; reading, "Bernado del Carpio," Miss Elizabeth Moore; violin solo, Miss Florence Nix; recitation, Miss Rhoda Deane; musical selections, Arthur Booth.

The entertainment was concluded with a screaming farce, entitled: "Fast Friends," in which the Misses Deane and Sadie Moore were the principals. These two clever young ladies kept the audience in roars of laughter, and their performances were one of the best features contributed to the entertainment.

THE CREATORE CONCERT.

All lovers of music should attend the concert Sunday evening, in Huntington hall, by Creatore, and his Italian band of sixty players. Creatore's programs are always pleasing and satisfying, but almost any one of the great numbers at a concert is said to be worth the price of the whole concert. For instance, his selection from Carmen, is a liberal concert alone, as it takes 25 minutes of time, and introduces the best solos and gems of the whole opera. There are several other opera selections of about the same length, and generally one of these finds a place on the program. The criticisms published from other journals revel in Creatore's playing of such numbers as the overtures to "Tannhauser" and William Tell," an organ offertorio, the sextette from "Lucia," and selections from various Italian operas, but these are praised so highly simply because they happened to be played at the time.

After one becomes acquainted with Creatore, the program is of secondary consequence, as it is the Creatore enthusiasm and dominating personality which overwhelms everything else and carries the audience off its feet. No one can describe it. One must see Creatore to realize what a wonderful person he is.

Flanagan's Singing Orchestra at Huntington hall tonight.

SEASON OPENS

THE LAW IS OFF IN AROOSTOOK COUNTY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

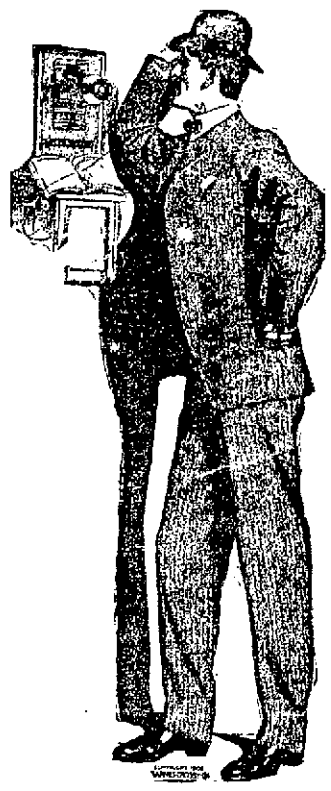
BANGOR, Me., Oct. 2—Up to the arrival of afternoon trains from the Aroostook game county, no deer had arrived here yesterday afternoon, the opening day of the game season.

FINGERS LACERATED.

John Butler, aged 18, an employee of the United States Bunting company, had his left hand caught in a gear while at work yesterday afternoon. Two fingers were badly lacerated. His injuries were dressed at the Emergency hospital.

PUTNAM & SON CO.

166 Central Street



There's been quick selling

all through the store for the past four weeks, but nothing has aroused so much enthusiasm as our remarkable collection of

Smart and stylish fall suits

There is a marked distinction about our suits this season—an individuality—that is altogether uncommon in ready-made. Instead of paying the price you've been accustomed to for a suit to measure, why not see how satisfactorily we can fit you with Rogers-Peet's clothes? You'll find their suits nearer to your fancy than any you've ever tried.

Men's Suits from Rogers, Peet & Co. A remarkable collection of the finest imported and domestic fabrics that we have ever exhibited. Unusal colorings in pure worsted cheviots, smooth faced worsteds, and the finest qualities of black Thibets and cheviots. Nothing equal to these suits in quality, style and fit, is shown elsewhere—ready-to-wear, $30, $28 $25 and **$20**

Men's Suits from our own workrooms in a very large variety of the new fall colorings, of worsted cheviots, fine black Thibets and cheviots and hard-faced pure worsted fabrics. Decidedly the greatest showing we have ever made.

These suits we believe to be equal to the best values to be had elsewhere for $18 to $20—all at **$15**

Men's Suits of the new worsted cheviots, all wool black Thibets and pure worsted black cheviots. Every suit properly cut and nicely trimmed and tailored in a thorough manner. Smart, stylish suits, equal in value to the suits ordinarily sold for $12 and $15—we offer in single or double breast sacks for **$10**

Young men's stunning suits

Nothing like this great collection of young men's suits has ever been shown in Lowell—made exclusively for young men 32 to 36 breast measure. Patterns entirely different from these in our men's stock; livelier and with more "go" to them; coats shorter; snugger fitting; trousers full at the hips; small at the foot—this line of young men's suits has been the greatest success of anything we ever introduced—single and double breast sacks as you prefer.

$8.00 for young men's.
The new fall cut sacks, in fancy cheviots and double breast black Thibets; coats cut with the new lapel, and smarter suits than you've ever seen for the price, $8.

$10 for young men's.
A splendid showing of the new fancy worsted cheviots, pure and fine black Thibets, either single or double breast, snug fitting collars, and broad shoulders to give more distinction to these suits than you find in many that cost five dollars more.

$15 for young men's suits, many of the lots from Rogers, Peet & Co. The most attractive collection of dashing new patterns that we have ever opened. In this line every garment is hand-tailored and splendidly finished. We have never seen such fine fitting clothing, and we think few merchant tailors no matter what they charge, can make suits that fit as well or have the smart appearance of these young men's suits for $15.

$18 and **$20** for young men's suits, made by Rogers, Peet & Co., from the choicest fabrics, and absolutely exclusive patterns. Not one of these styles can be found elsewhere ready-made. The young man who wears one of these suits has the satisfaction of knowing that the cloth and pattern are exactly such as go in to merchant tailor suits. The cost is about half what the tailor charges.

Boys' new and stylish winter suits

Norfolk Suits
with plaited jacket, plaid or knickerbocker trousers, and the new smart cut, two-piece suit; double breast jacket, with long roll. These leading styles for boys 8 years to 16 in Bannockburn cheviots, domestic cheviots and plain blue worsted cheviots from $3.50 to $9. We offer today specials in both Norfolk and double breast suits, for only **$2.00**

Russian Blouse Suits
for little boys 2 1-2 to 6 years of age—made with the new Eton collar or with deep sailor collar—plain or Knickerbocker breeches. The prettiest collection we have ever shown, in new cheviots and navy, and royal blue, brown and red serges, from $4 to $7. A special today in Russian blouse suits is offered for . . **$3.50**

Three-Piece Suits
for boys 9 years to 16. The smart cut college jacket, single breast, vest and short trousers. Made from fancy worsted cheviots, blue and black Thibets, heavy blue serges and plain black and blue worsted cheviots. New and most attractive suits, from $4 to $8. We offer a special today in three-piece suits, a neat fancy and a plain blue suit for **$3.00**

New Tams
The finest qualities of Mohair and Camel's Hair Tams shown. A wonderful collection of 21 new colors and pretty combinations, for boys and girls, 65c and **50c**

Boys' Sweaters
The largest stock of fine Sweaters we have ever shown—in worsted, and heavy wool, plain or with contrasting colors at neck, wrist and skirt, for $1.50, $1.00 and **38c**

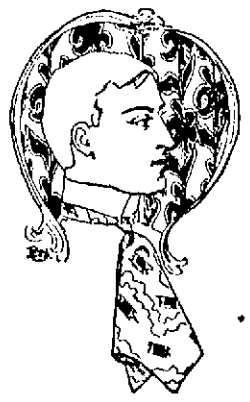
Fine Furnishings for fall

FINE STREET GLOVES

All of the new leathers in Fall colors; Perrin's fine street gloves, and imported English outseam cape. Great and special value offered in our own street gloves and outseam cape, heavy stitching. Actual value, $1.25, for per pair **$1.00**

STUNNING NECKWEAR

Today a special offer of entirely new designs in rich silks. All of the new large shapes, Ascots, 2 1-2 inch Four-in-Hands, Puff Scarfs, and English Squares. As a whole this is as fine a lot of neckwear as we ever offered and we doubt if these English Squares can be bought anywhere for less than $1.00. All shapes today for one price **50c**



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The new showing of Fancy Bosom Shirts is extremely attractive, quiet and genteel patterns of fine percale, perfect fitting and splendidly made, detached cuffs. Smart and stylish and for only . . **$1.00**

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A MISSING BOY

Supposed to be Hiding in Lowell

HE LEFT HIS HOME ON AUGUST 5

His Widowed Mother is Heartbroken

For days, weeks and months, Mrs. Westcott, a widow, living at 22 Village street, Boston, has been searching the city and suburbs for her only son, Charles Anthony Westcott.

The boy, who is 15 years old, disappeared August 5th, and since that time she has spent her last dollar in trying to get trace of the boy. Days and nights she has scoured the city without avail, and her heart is breaking over the boy's absence.

She employed a private detective who represented that he knew where to find the boy. The man never made a search, but took her money, she declares.

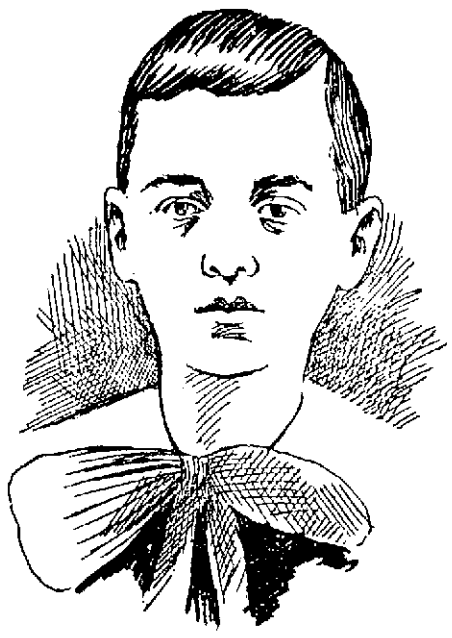
On account of some trouble which he had at school, the boy left home August 5th last. Since then he has been seen around the West End and Cambridgeport, about the streets and sleeping on doorsteps at night.

Though his mother has haunted these places in hopes to find him, she has not caught sight of him.

Someone informed her that the boy was stopping at a house in Cambridgeport about a week ago. She went there and found that he had left there. At that place he said his name was Livingstone and that his mother was dead.

Mrs. Westcott is alone in the world, and has made herself penniless in searching for the boy, but desires only that he will return home and she will forgive all. She has learned recently that the boy had come to this city and is in hiding here and she has written The Sun asking its assistance in searching for him, believing that if he could realize his mother's sad plight he would at once return.

Any information regarding him will be received at this office or by his mother at the above address.



CHARLES A. WESCOTT, RUNAWAY BOSTON BOY, SUPPOSED TO BE HIDING IN LOWELL.

AT THE CASTO SATURDAY.

Tomorrow is children's day at the Casto theatre and the children will be out in force, for they are strong adherents of Manager Haynes. For their entertainment he has prepared a program which will especially appeal to them. The merry musical farce comedy, "Too Much Married," will prove most enjoyable to them for the adventures of Bob Henshaw in his adventures to secure a fortune are most amusing. The fun is fast and furious in the comedy and the musical numbers are very pleasing. In the remainder of the bill will be seen Rorani and Nevaro, the original "Weary Waggles" of the "Foxy Grandpa" Co., and the acrobatic girl; William Tompkins, vaudeville's premier monologuist in "Topical Talks"; Lavine and Lenard, comedy jugglers and automobilists; and Miss Rae Cox in songs and stories. Reserved seats may be ordered by telephone 816-3 or by calling at the box office which is open from 10 a. m., to 10 p. m.

All the latest music at the Burkes' social tonight.

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Concert both afternoon and evening by American Orchestra, Mr. E. J. Borjes conductor.

—PROGRAMME—

AFTERNOON

PART FIRST.

1. March, "For the Flag" ..... Lampe
2. Overture, "Tanhauser" ..... Wagner
3. { Menuett ..... Paderewski / Gavotte, "Affaire D'Amour" ..... Puerner }
4. Cornet Solo, "Magnolia" ..... Missud
   Mr. R. McDaniel.
5. Selection, "Peggy from Paris" ..... Loraine

PART SECOND.

6. Suite de Ballet, Anthony and Cleopatra ..... Gruenwald
   1. "In the Arbor."
   2. "Solo Dance."
   3. "Dance of the Nubians."
7. Selection from "The Defender" ..... Denee
8. Xylophone Solo, "Concert Galop" ..... Ellenberg
   Mr. B. L. Williams.
9. "The Chirpers," Morceau Characteristic.. Frank
10. "Fantasia from Faust" ..... Gounod

EVENING

PART FIRST.

1. Overture, Tannhauser" ..... Kalliwoda
2. Entre Act, "La Columbe" ..... Gounod
3. Selection, "The Storks" ..... Chapin
4. Piccolo Solo, "Scherzo" ..... Bonnisseau
   Mr. Z. I. Bissonnette.
5. { Idyll, "In Beauty's Bower" ..... Bendix / Arabian Intermezzo, "Zamona" ..... Loraine }

PART SECOND.

6. Selection, "When Johnny Comes Marching Home" ..... Edwards
7. Czardas, from "Coppelia Ballet" ..... Delibes
8. Baritone Solo, "L'Elegante" ..... Damare
   Mr. O. R. Park.
9. Selection from "The Mocking Bird" .... Roberts
10. Concert Waltz, "Kaiser" ..... Strauss

AMERICAN ORCHESTRA, MR. E. J. BORJES, CONDUCTOR.

DEATH RETURNS

Physicians Must Fill Out New Blank

The health department has sent out to the 140 physicians of this city copies of the new death returns which have been issued recently by the secretary of state, enclosing with them the following letter:

Lowell, Mass., Sept. 29, 1903.

Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed a blank death return sent to this office by the secretary of State of Massachusetts, with the instruction to discard the old return, and to call to the attention of he physicians of Lowell Chapter 29, Section 10.

"A physician shall forthwith, after the death of a person whom he has attended during his last illness, at the request of an undertaker or other authorized person or of any member of the family of the deceased, furnish for registration a certificate stating to the best of his knowledge and behalf the name of the deceased, his supposed age, the disease of which he died, the duration of his last illness, and the date of his death. A physician who has attended at the birth of a child dying immediately thereafter, or a physician or midwife who has attended at the birth of a child born dead, shall forthwith furnish for registration a certificate stating that to the best of his or her knowledge and belief such child either died immediately after birth or was born dead. A physician or midwife who neglects or refuses to make such certificates or who makes a false statement therein shall forfeit not more than fifty dollars."

There are some physicians who are in the habit of writing on the return the cause of death and their signature. In future please fill all the blank spaces on the physicians' certificate and write "unknown" where such is the fact. The desire of the secretary of State and the city clerk is to have conformity to the statute and the uniformity in the statistical value of the returns.

Yours truly,
H. H. KNAPP,
Agent.

PIECE OF STEEL

STRUCK JOHN O'NEIL IN THE EYE.

John O'Neil, aged 16, of 114 Common street, was taken in the ambulance to St. John's hospital with a piece of steel in his left eye. The accident occurred while the young man was at work in the Lowell machine shop.

HOLYOKE RACES

GLENWOOD, JR., ACCUSED OF BEING A RINGER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HOLYOKE, Mass., Oct. 2—Only two races were on yesterday's card at the fall meet of the Holyoke Park association. In the 2.33 trot Glenwood, Jr., was thought to be a "ringer," and was protested by C. E. Jackson of Paterson, N. J., owner of Tantilla, the favorite.

There was no proof, however, and the horse was allowed to race.

Glenwood Jr. had the speed, but broke badly in the last two heats and the favorite finally won. Sunshine, a Springfield horse, won the 2.21 pace, although Calshot was a favorite. The summary:

2.23 trot; purse $300. Tantilla won; Glenwood Jr. second; State of Maine third. Best time, 2.21 1-4.

2.21 pace; purse $300. Sunshine won; Invoice second; Calshot third. Best time, 2.19 1-4.

TWIN SULLIVAN WON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Mass., Oct. 2—Jack (Twin) Sullivan defeated Tom Carey of New York, in the seventh round of what was scheduled to be a 15 round bout before the Fall River Athletic association last night.

BOARD OF HEALTH

WILL ACT ON MAPLE STREET MATTER.

Mayor Howe is of the opinion that the protest against the establishment of a tar macadam plant on Maple stree is a matter that concerns the board of health rather than the mayor's office.

His Honor said yesterday: "A representative of the petitioners has detailed to be the reasons why the tar macadam plant should not be allowed to be placed so near dwelling houses. It is not a matter for me to act upon, all I have to do with the tar macadam people is to sign the contract. I have referred the petition to the board of health, who will probably take action of some kind upon it at their next meeting."

To reporters the same man said: "We made up the petition in advance so that the tar macadam people would not start them. We object to the plant because it is impossible to keep clothes that are hung out to dry clean with the black sooty smoke that fills the air when the cinder tar is burned. Another smoke comes through a sort of smoke stack and this is as bad for clothes or houses, and many of our houses have been recently painted."

60 NAMES

ADDED BY REGISTRARS AT YESTERDAY'S SESSION.

Sixty names were added to the voting lists yesterday, as follows: Ward one, 10; two, 6; three, 10; four, 6; five, 6; six, 5; seven, 5; eight, 3; nine, 9. Total 60.

GREAT UNDERTAKING

ATTEMPT TO HARNESS THE VICTORIA FALLS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 2. Sir Charles Metcalf, the well-known railroad builder in South Africa, and I. F. Jones, C. M. G., manager of the Chartered company, will sail on the Cunard Line steamer Campania next Saturday on an important mission to the United States. They intend to spend a month investigating the industrial and railroad methods in America and especially to examine the system by which the power of Niagara Falls is utilized. Immediately after their return the work will be commenced of harnessing the Victoria Falls on the Zambesie river in South Africa.

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FOR 25c A YARD—Very pretty Lace Grenadine, for sash curtains, regular price 37½c.

FOR 25c A YARD—Embroidered Tambour Muslin for curtains, regular price 37½c.

FOR 12c A YARD—Some Embroidered Tamboured Muslin, regular price 15c and 17c.

FOR $1.98 A PAIR—Special styles of Chenille Portieres, all colors, regular price $2.75.

FOR 15c EACH—Brass Extension Rods, for long curtains, regular price 25c.

FOR $1.25 A PAIR—Scotch Lace Curtains, in new patterns, full size, regular price $1.98.

FOR 98c A PAIR—Nottingham Curtains, new designs, regular price $1.49.

FOR $12.50 EACH—Nine 9x12 Axminster Rugs, slightly imperfect, regular price $27.50.

WEST SECTION—GALLERY.

Special Sale in Fancy Goods Department

500 MEDALLION PLAQUES ONLY 10c EACH

They're round, with gilt frame, hardly any two medallions alike, gilt chain to hang them by. We've never sold anything of this sort before but the tradespeople tell us that these pretty wall ornaments are worth from 25c to 50c. Come for one today.

EAST SECTION—CENTRE AISLE.

Lining Silk At 49c Instead of $1

We received a lot of these silks from the manufacturer. The remnants and ends of fast black, heavy satins. Enough in most of them for a coat lining, at less than half the regular price.

PALMER STREET—RIGHT AISLE.

Fall and Winter Wear for Men

NIGHT SHIRTS—Made from domet flannel and outing cloth, full size, 60 inches long and as much wide, with military or coat collar, pearl buttons, etc., 50c, 75c and $1.00, according to the cloth and trimming.

50c UNDERWEAR—This year more than ever do we particularize this line. The best sort in Lowell for the price. Fleeced and Jersey ribbed, medium weight cashmere, in white and camel's hair. Shirts with ribbed bottom and cuffs. Drawers with finished seams, tapes, etc.

NECKWEAR—The best assortment of 50c Ties in Lowell. A strong statement but one we're sure of from hearsay. Our styles are exclusive, too, coming from the best makers of nobby neckwear. Four-in-Hands, Tecks, English Squares, Ascots, etc., in the new silks. See the gun metal effects, the Persian silks and the Axel weaves. ALL STYLES 50c.

EAST SECTION— LEFT AISLE.

Tea and Coffee

One pound Coffee, one-half pound Tea, five pounds Sugar, ALL FOR 60c.

Besides the best Teas and Coffees in Lowell, here is a fine assortment of Cocoas. We also carry Heinz's goods. A fine variety of Canned Fruits, McLaren's Royal and Roquefort Cheese, French's Gold Jelly, A. G. P. Baking Powder, Victor Starch, Satin Gloss and X-Ray Stove Polish, full line Anderson's Soups, Canned Corned Beef, Pickled Lamb's Tongues, Sardines, etc.

MERRIMACK STREET—BASEMENT.

Millinery Millinery

Besides our Sample Hats at half price and less, we offer today 100 Black Shirred Silk Hats, with velvet crowns, turban and pompadour shapes, regular price $2.00, only $1.19 EACH.

PALMER STREET—CENTRE AISLE.

Hair Pins

1000 Near Shell Hair Pins, in loop, square top and crinkled shapes, regular price 25c, only 15c A DOZEN.

Chatelaine Bags

Black Alligator Bags, with outside pocket, large size, regular price 75c, only 50c EACH.

West Section—Right Aisle.

Muslin Underwear

FOR 98c—Plain Skirts with umbrella ruffle, three rows of tucks, five yards round, walking length.

FOR 75c—Cambric Skirts, trimmed with torchon lace insertion and ruffle.

FOR 25c—Corset Covers of cambric, round neck trimmings, with wide torchon lace and ribbon.

West Section—Gallery.

SIXTH REGIMENT

Won the Tri-Color Trophy

AT THE SHOOT AT WALNUT HILL

Lowell Men in the Sixth's Team

In the annual rifle competition of the Massachusetts state militia at Walnut hill yesterday the Tri-color trophy was won by a team from the Sixth regiment with a grand total of 1276 at both ranges. Their score at 500 yards was 663 and at 600 yards 613.

The First regiment, Heavy Artillery, team proved a close second, with a total of 1268, their score at 500 yards being 654 and at 600 yards 614.

The highest individual score was made by Private John W. Blake of Battery B, First regiment, Heavy Artillery, with a clean 50 at 500 yards and 43 at 600 yards, a total of 93.

The total scores were:

Sixth regiment	1276
First regiment	1268
Second regiment	1222
Naval Brigade	1206
First Corps cadets	1204
Eighth regiment	1174
Fifth regiment	1164
Ninth regiment	1046
Second Corps cadets	983

Co. C of the Sixth regiment was represented in the winning team by First Lieut. Gardner W. Pearson, Second Lieut. Kelsey, Sergt. Peterson and Private Flynn, while Capt. McNally, Sergts. Worthen, Scott and Dickey and Corp. Black of Co. M were in the Ninth regiment team.

The scores made by C's men were: Lieut. Kelsey 48 at 500 yards and 38 at 600 yards, total 86; Private Flynn, 41 at 500 and 41 at 600 yards, total 82; Sergt. Peterson, 45 at 500 and 40 at 600 yards, total 85; Lieut. Pearson, 42 at 500 and 36 at 600, total 78.

Corp. Black of Co. M made the score of 85 for a total, 47 at 500 and 38 at 600 yards.

Up to yesterday there have been 40 distinguished marksmen at the local armory and the result of yesterday's shoot adds four if not five to this list, which is a very creditable showing.

The Ninth regimental shoot, in which Co. M of this city will participate, will be held at Walnut hill a week from today.

ACTIVE CAMPAIGN

RALLIES IN EVERY STATE IN THE UNION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 2—Party rallies in every state in the union under the personal direction of the officers and members of the executive committee of the Republican National League, reinforced by a heavy oratorical battery, area part of the plans for the campaign for the re-election of President Roosevelt considered at a conference of the representatives of that organization in session at the Auditorium annex yesterday.

It was proposed that the officers of the league shall make a tour of the country, conducting republican love feasts at every centre as the best means to bring about republican success. The first act of the executive committee upon convening yesterday morning was to send greetings to the nation's chief executive.

Committees were appointed and reports of officers heard. The time and place for the next convention of the organization were referred to a committee of five.

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50c. Orange Pekoe ..... 25c.; 5 lbs. $1.
50c. English Breakfast ..... 30c.; 7 lbs. $1.

Something New

Souvenir Postal Cards of Lowell

We have just received a splendid line of souvenir postal cards of Lowell. The complete set comprises 17 views and includes all our public buildings of note, interesting places, and five pictures of the South Lowell explosion. The cards may be purchased singly or in sets.

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AFTER FORGERS

1200 Torn Checks Found in House

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 2—Chief Postal Inspector W. W. Dickson is endeavoring to locate two daring forgers who are said to have realized thousands of dollars by altering checks.

These checks were originally part of the contents of a mail pouch, which disappeared about September 5, from a West bound express train on the Penna. railroad, between this city and Pittsburg.

It is stated that in their investigation, the post office inspectors discovered a stack of about 1200 torn checks in a New York lodging house. These checks, it is said were so marked that any raising of their amounts would be impossible without immediate detection.

The arrest of the individuals now under suspicion, the authorities intimate, will bring to light an astounding fraud, with ramifications extending through the entire eastern section of the country.

LADIES' NIGHT

OBSERVED BY MATHEW TEMPERANCE INSTITUTE.

The ladies' night held by the Mathew Temperance institute at its hall at the corner of Central and Market streets last evening was an unprecedented success as a social function. Like all of the other socials held by this organization the attendance was large and the crowd present was a select one. About 50 couples enjoyed dancing to the strains of popular music furnished by the Middlesex orchestra until midnight.

The decorations were pretty but were of very modest nature, and the picture of flowers about the stage, where the orchestra was stationed, mingled with the whirl of dancers, made a pretty scene.

The floor director was John Lyons, who was assisted by John Coughlin, with Owen Grimes, James Rourke and Henry Thomas as aids.

The Mathew Temperance institute will hold a smoke talk at its hall next Tuesday evening. The arrangements for the smoke talk are being made by a committee consisting of William Quirk, John Lyons, James McGreevy, William Boyle, James Rourke, Dennis Sullivan and George Hunt. The literary committee of the society has charge of the program. This committee consists of John McKenna, John Murphy and John Townsend.

The preparations for the Peabody parade are progressing finely and interest in the event is at a high pitch.

OFFICERS APPOINTED

IN THE GIRLS' BATTALIONS AT THE HIGH SCHOOL.

The officers in the girls' battalions of the High school have been appointed as follows:

First battalion—Major, Elena Abbott; captains, Co. A, Ruth Bailey; Co. B, Millie Severance; Co. C, Anna Brown; Co. D, Pearl Woodward; first lieutenants, Co. A, Marion Hill; Co. B, Margaret Shanley; Co. C, Ruth Eaton; Co. D, Helen Whitcomb; second lieutenants, Co. A, Elizabeth Walsh; Co. B, Julia Wing; Co. C, Lou Hands; Co. D, Ethel Parker.

Second battalion—Major, Margaret Teague; captains, Co. A, Caroline Cooke; Co. B, Sophie White; Co. C, Myrtle Batchelder; Co. D, Blanche Atkinson; first lieutenants, Co. A, Helen Gegenheimer; Co. B, Florence Holgate; Co. C, Dora Sherburne; Co. D, Carrie Brown; second lieutenants, Co. A, Marion Faulkner; Co. B, Alice Hill; Co. C, Isabelle Wiggin; Co. D, May Ella Lowney.

MISSIONARY SOCIAL

AT THE Y. W. C. A. ROOMS LAST EVENING.

A successful missionary social was held last night at the rooms of the Y. W. C. A. The rooms were artistically decorated with autumn leaves and ferns. A very pleasing musical program was carried out.

The Chinese table was managed by Miss Daisy MacBrayne, assisted by Miss Metcalf and Miss Perley.

The Japanese table was looked after by Miss Russell, assisted by Miss Flemings and Miss Hoole.

The Central America room was under the charge of Miss Shepard and Miss Floyd.

The Indian room—Mrs. Moore, assisted by her daughters, Misses Lillian and Retna, and her son, Arnold.

Misses Bennett and Rutherford had charge of the home department. At the close a poem was given by Miss Augusta Lord.

$250,000 ATTACHMENT

PLACED ON HOUSEHOLD SEWING MACHINE COMPANY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 2—An attachment of $250,000 was placed on the Household Sewing Machine Co. of this city yesterday by the trustees of the estate of William J. King.

The management of the company was changed about three months ago, New York parties acquiring a majority of the stock. At that time William D. Bean, was elected president and general manager and Garrett D. Cooper, treasurer. These men were said to be backed by Frank H. and William Cooper. William H. Cooper is vice-president of the Siegel-Cooper Co. of New York.

Edwards and Angell, who represent the trustees, state that the attachment was to cover a series of promissory notes aggregating $223,000, the first of which was for $10,000, and fell due yesterday. The King heirs controlled the stock of the company previous to the change three months ago.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Eirene lodge, I. O. G. T., held its regular meeting last evening with a very good attendance. After the regular business the following good of the order was given:

Piano solo, Myra White; duet, Misses Hands and Judd; remarks, Bro. Sutcliffe; reading, Sister Smith; solo, Sister Judd; remarks, Bro. Tilton; reading, Bro. Scott; remarks, Sister Lester; piano solo, Ivy L. Hands; remarks, Bro. McLean; reading, Sister Tilton.

At a regular campfire meeting of Post 120, G. A. R., last evening, it was voted to hold a series of whist parties this winter. The evening's entertainment consisted of reminiscences by different members.

Miss Grace Medhot wishes to announce to the ladies that her millinery opening will take place Friday and Saturday of this week at Associate Building, Room 6.

CUT HIS THROAT

Insane Man Committed Suicide

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW MILFORD, Conn., Oct. 2—Sylvester Yankel, 37 years of age, who has caused considerable excitement in this town during the week, succeeded in ending his own life last night after a desperate struggle with an officer who was watching him to see that he did not injure himself. In the town court yesterday morning Yankel was adjudged insane and he was placed in charge of Bruce Nearing, a constable, until arrangement could be made to send him to an insane asylum.

While at the supper table in Nearing's house last night Yankel seized a carving knife and stabbed himself in the throat twice. Nearing grappled with the insane man to prevent him doing further injury to himself, but the wounds were fatal and the man died a few moments later. Yankel's insanity is believed to have been caused by his hermit-life and insufficient nourishment, he having lived alone for 15 years past.

An Expert Druggist's Opinion

Mr. Milton C. Brigham, a prominent druggist of Natick, Mass., states, after having used Uri-cene, the new Rheumatism Cure: "Without exaggeration I consider Uri-cene far superior to any Rheumatic Remedy, imported or domestic, for neutralizing uric acid. I am constantly using it, and am receiving much benefit."

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FLYNN'S MARKET 137 GORHAM ST

CELEBRATION OVER

CHICAGO HAD A BANQUET FOR MAYORS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 2—A banquet to the visiting mayors and a concert by the Marine band, followed by a public gathering at the Auditorium theatre, last night at which Mayor Seth Low of New York was the principal speaker, brought the centennial celebration to a close, with the exception of the fireworks display, which will be given tonight.

At 3 o'clock the mayors of a score of cities sat down to a banquet in their honor attended by more than 400 citizens of Chicago. At 7.30 the U. S. Marine band of Washington began a concert in the auditorium theatre and one hour later the banqueters took seats on the platform to listen to Mayor Low's speech upon "Civic Federation."

Mayor Low was introduced by Mayor Carter Harrison, of Chicago and received a warm reception.

Previous to the banquet the mayors held a reception in the Auditorium hotel.

Joseph Jefferson, the veteran actor, read an original poem to the banqueters.

Sir Thomas Lipton was expected to be present at the banquet, but his doctor advised against it.

GOOD RACING

WITNESSED AT BRATTLEBORO FAIR YESTERDAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., Oct. 2—With a record breaking attendance of nearly 20,000 people, the 15th annual valley fair closed yesterday. All the racing events were run off in good shape, the 2.17 class alone being unfinished. Summary:

2.17 trot or pace, purse $600, won by Carric K., bm (Whitney, Lebanon, N. H.), Frank B., g (Ralph, Schenectady, N. Y.), second; Aristocrat, blk g (Maer, Littleton, Mass.), third. Time, 2.13, 2.13½, 2.16½, 2.17.

2.20 trot or pace, purse $500, won by Doclma Deane, bm (O'Neil, Lexington, Mass.); Helen R., bm (Hayes, Westfield), second; Kit Murphy, bm (Gale, Brattleboro, Vt.), third. Time, 2.23¼, 2.24½, 2.23¼.

2.17 trot or pace, purse $400 (unfinished), Lady Laurin, bm (Smith Bros., Barre, Vt.), won first heat; Kitty Wilkes, bm (Chickering, Westmoreland, N. H.), second and third; the Governess, bm (Bailey, Medford, Mass.), fourth and fifth. Time, 2.20¼, 2.22, 2.21¼, 2.21, 2.22.

Running race, half mile, won by Ashbrook, bg (Farnsworth, Rutland, Vt.); Walzer, bg (Russell, Keene, N. H.), second; Marcus Aurelius, bg (Langley, Putney, Vt.), third. Time, 51¼.

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Misses' School Shoes of the best Box Calf, double sole. The "Old School House" Shoe, worth $1.50, **98c**

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INSANE CHARGES

Lowell's List Has Increased Greatly

That the number of insane in Lowell is greatly increased is evidenced by the fact that the expense to the city for insane patients for the past three months exceeds any like bill in the past. There are 53 Lowell patients at the Worcester insane asylum and the bill against the city for their care for three months is $2700.56, or about $2.00 per week for each case. The largest previous amount was about $900.

In addition to the insane in Worcester Medfield has 37, Lowell insane patients, Westboro has 20, Taunton 9, while Northampton has several. Altogether Lowell has over 100 patients in the various insane asylums.

Secretary Courtney of the pauper department states that the great increase came during the spring months. He does not know to what to attribute this wonderful increase.

Dr. Simpson of the Lowell hospital, when informed of Secretary Courtney's statement regarding the increase in insanity during the spring months, said:

"I should naturally think that the spring months would be the ones for much insanity. If any particular part of the year was to show up many. That is one, of course, to the depressed spirits of many persons after having spent a hard winter. Cold weather, lack of food, lack of exercise and many other causes are contributory to insanity."

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HANNAH CRAIG

Saw First Train of Cars to Enter This City

In the town of Rumney, N. H., a former Lowell woman has just passed her 88th birthday. The following story of the event and brief sketch of her life is from the Manchester Union of today:

This town has a family of four generations, which is one of the best known families in Rumney. The head of this family, Mrs. Hannah (Ramsay) Craig, is the oldest woman in town, having just passed her 88th birthday, and she resides with her daughter, Mrs. William S. Learned, having made her home there since the death of her husband, in 1882.

Mrs. Craig was born in Rumney, July 25, 1815, and with the exception of a short time, when she worked in Lowell, as a weaver in one of the mills, in her younger days, she has always resided in Rumney. Aug. 9, 1836, she married Amos H. Craig, a native of this town, and they had three children, all of whom are now living in Rumney. They are C. C. Craig, who is a merchant at Quincy, a postoffice in the town of Rumney; Mary, the wife of George M. Bickford, and Abbie, the wife of William S. Learned.

In 1842, Mrs. Craig joined the Baptist church, and has missed but one yearly roll-call. She is remarkably well-preserved for one of her advanced age, enjoys good health and even reads the daily papers with the aid of glasses. She was in Lowell, Mass., July 4, 1835, and was an eye witness to the arrival of the first train of cars to enter that city. She is in good health, and bids fair to reach the century mark. Her family consists of three children, six grandchildren, and nine great-grandchildren.

The three others to make up the four generations are Charles C. Craig, Mrs. Ethel (Perkins) Boswell, his daughter, and Alice M. Boswell, her daughter.

LOBSTER CLUB

Annual Outing Was Held Yesterday

The annual outing of the Lobster club was held at Joe Mercier's, on the banks of Lake Mascuppic, yesterday afternoon, and proved to be the most successful outing ever conducted by this club. The club consists mainly of politicians who reside in Centralville, but strange to say there was no booming of candidates at yesterday's affair and the speeches that were given were informal and did not treat on the political side of life.

Tom Collins had charge of the clambake, which was the principal attraction. The clam together with the corn, chicken, blue fish, onions, lobsters and other edibles were cooked in the open and cheer after cheer was given the chef for his fine work. There was plenty to eat, and everyone who sat down to the tables, which were laid in a large open field in the rear of Mercier's hotel, had their fill.

Sports of different kinds were enjoyed during the afternoon, and in the evening the party repaired to Mercier's hotel where a fine musical and literary program was carried out. E. A. Wilson was the chief lobster, while "Bill" Patten was designated as the short lobster. Thomas Carrick and Chester Mercier attended to the wants of the party and kept the table well stocked all the time. Laforest Beals was also very much in evidence and did his share of the work.

LOCAL MEN

WHO PARADED WITH THE ANCIENTS TODAY.

Seven Lowell men and one from Billerica paraded with the Ancients, being members of the organization. They are Mayor Howe, who will be left guide in the Veteran company; George Fairburn, Dr. A. E. A. McCann, Congressman Butler Ames, D. Thomas Wallis, Charles Richardson and Col. Warren Norcross of Lowell and Major Thomas Talbot of Billerica.

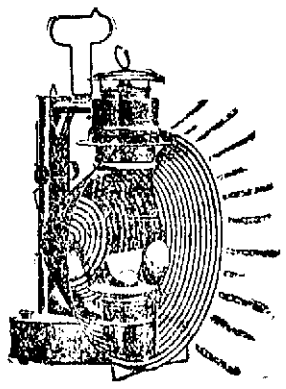
FLORAL FESTIVAL

SECOND NIGHT OF THE C. M. A. C. FETE.

The second night of the floral festival under the auspices of the C. M. A. C. in their hall in Pawtucket street proved to be more of a success than the opening night. The attendance was much larger and the tables did a good business.

In the upper hall Prof. Van de Wiele's athletes gave a fine gymnastic exhibition, while minstrel songs were sung by Mr. Lucien Paradis and Alfred Billeault, Jr.

Dancers! Attention! Good music at Huntington hall tonight.



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MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Fred L. Ashworth of Boston and Miss Minnie E. Parker were married at the home of the bride's parents in Billerica Thursday afternoon. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. Smith Thomas Ford, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist church of Lowell. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion. The couple were unattended.

LIVINGSTON—NICKERSON.

At the residence of Rev. C. L. Pierce of the North Tewksbury church, Wednesday afternoon, Mr. Frank W. Livingston and Miss Augusta May Nickerson, both of North Andover, were united in marriage.

Masters Robert Rawlinson and Arthur Smith, both of Butterfield street, have entered the Highland Military college at Worcester, where they will pursue a three years' course.

Catarrh for twenty years and cured in a few days.—Hon. George James, of Scranton, Pa., says: "I have been a martyr to Catarrh for 20 years, constant hawking, dropping in the throat and pain in the head. Very offensive breath. I tried Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. The first application gave instant relief. After using a few bottles I was cured. Sold by Falls & Purkinshaw.—1.

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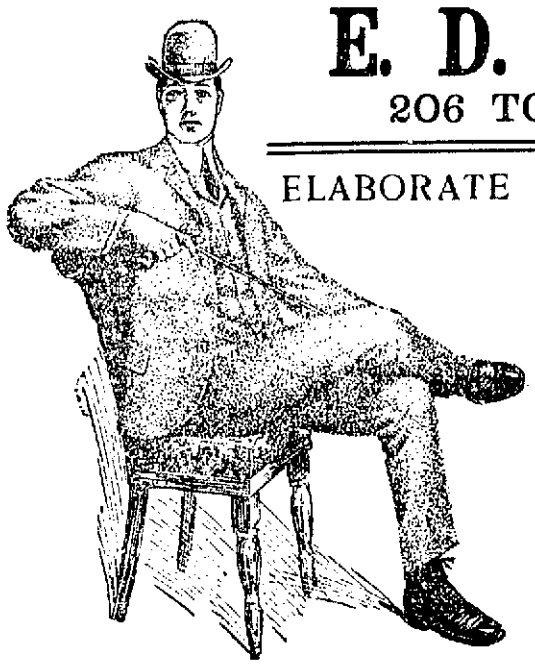

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ALMOST LYNCHED

Man Was Strung Up Three Times

By Associated Press to The Sun

OXFORD, Ohio, Oct. 2—Five men were seriously injured and one narrowly escaped lynching several times as the result of last night's riot at this place.

Those injured are:

John Woodruff, marshal of Oxford, believed to be fatally shot.

Jacob Manrod, deputy marshal, shot in the back and in the shoulder, condition serious.

Ernest Jettin, a country teacher of Monroe, Ohio, believed to be fatally shot in the abdomen.

Louis Spivey, of Wagonville, Ky., shot in the back and breast, serious.

Joseph Spivey, Wagonville, Ky., skull fractured by stone.

The Spivey brothers were visiting Edward Richardson of Billingsville, Ind., just across the state line from Oxford. The three came here to attend the annual fair and farmers exposition. The town was filled with strangers when three men began carousing in a saloon. They pulled their revolver on the bartender who ejected them and then proceeded to raise more trouble in other saloons. When Marshal Woodruff undertook to arrest them he was mortally shot. A fusillade of bullets in the crowded streets followed the shooting of the marshal. Deputy Marshal Manrod was shot twice when he took the place of his chief. During the fusilade in the street, Ernest Jettin, while returning from his school to his boarding house, was struck in the abdomen by a stray bullet and he is now in a critical condition.

After the shooting the three men ran in different directions, with crowds after each one and each was hit in the head with stones thrown by those pursuing them. Louis Spivey was shot by a citizen. The three men were finally lodged in jail. Richardson was later released.

Soon afterwards crowds concentrated about the jail and battering down the door took Joseph Spivey out to lynch him. He was hauled from place to place with a rope about his neck and was swung up three different times, yet escaped with his life. In their haste the mob did not pinion his arms or his legs and he managed to use them so as to prevent strangulation the first time he was hanged. At another time he was let down so that he might write a farewell letter to his wife and children and at another time some one cut the rope. Finally the officers rescued the man and rushed him off to the city prison, where the mob was held at bay.

Speeches were made by ex-Mayor Flinnigan, Rev. Dr. Thomas J. Butler and the brother of Marshal Woodruff. Meantime the officers spirited the Spivey brothers away to the Butler county jail at Hamilton, Ohio, a distance of 15 miles. The mob later dispersed.

A striking feature of the attempted lynching last night was the part taken by negroes, who protested every time the rope was slackened and Joseph Spivey was let down to say his prayers with his wife and children, or for any other purpose of mercy. Some of the negroes raised a disturbance, proclaiming that if the man had been a negro he would surely have been lynched. The mob was without a leader at any time, but still it probably would not have been foiled but for the appearance of Woodruff's brother to let the law take its course.

DEATHS

STOTT—Edith N. Stott, aged 4 months, died yesterday at the home of her parents, John D. and Alfreda Stott, 64 Wilson street, Billerica.

KIMBALL—Undertaker Ela received a telegram yesterday afternoon notifying him of the death of Mrs. Lydia S. Kimball, a former Lowell resident, who passed away at Los Angeles, California. The body will arrive in this city sometime today.

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50 cts. on the Dollar

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now, mark you, if the judge puts a stop to hatching eggs within the city limits, he not only cripples an infant industry and handicaps the republican party, but is guilty of lese majeste, as well."

A trim little hen with a full neck and sloping shoulders butted in at this point to remark: "Well, the judge has been working for a good many years, and probably has a good little nest egg of his own by this time."

Then they all cackled at once. It was cackle, cackle here and cickle cickle there, and everywhere a cackle, cackle, cickle, cackle.

"What does the judge care," said the trim little hen, "he hasn't got to scratch for a living."

"Is that so? Well no one ever accused him of feathering his nest."

The Rooster—"Yes, he's won his spurs."

The Rabbit—"How did he do it?"

The Rooster—"Sitting on the bench."

The Rabbit—"I'm all old hens look alike to him."

The Rooster—"No, I heard him say once that some of them had gone stale, and he knew that fine feathers didn't make fine birds."

JUDGE HADLEY A BIRD.

The youngest hen in the party—"I heard a lawyer say the judge was a bird."

The rooster—"Yes, but he doesn't try to fly high, and that's more than some of the lawyers can say."

The rabbit—"Why do young lawyers come higher than old ones?"

The rooster—"Because they're fresh."

The oldest hen in the bunch—"Ain't you getting away from the object of the meeting?"

The rooster—"The chair awaits the pleasure of the meeting."

The youngest hen, again—"Now wouldn't that stick in your crop?"

Rabbit—"Move we adjourn for one week."

The rooster—"It's a vote and may they not hatch up any new devilry till then."

And thus the meeting adjourned, but the old hens and young hens and the roosters did not immediately fly back to their respective roosts. They divided up into parties and cackled about the injustice of the court. By an informal vote it was decided that the ordinance which gave the city council the right to say if they should live within the city limits had been repealed by the delegation of the power to the board of health and a vote of thanks was tendered Agent Knapp for his words in behalf of the feathered tribe.

A BURLESQUE.

There was a deal of talking on the way home. Some of the very old hens expressed the opinion that the indignation meeting has been burlesqued and that what was said did not represent the sense of the meeting. This old hen was in a w-neck and she more than "knocked" Judge Hadley and Jerome Manning. She was one of Moses' six and she thought that would help some. After scoring everybody that had anything to do with the relegation of city hens to the woods she struck a sympathetic mud and wept, not for herself or the other five in her coop, but for the hens that had no Moses. "What will ye do, your children," she sobbed, "with no Moses to lead you out of the land of bondage. Me and me little family have a Moses who, if the occasion requires it, will lead us out of the wilderness. My Moses is not only familiar with the land, but he is also an expert on fire and water." The old hen was in the height of a semi-hysterical turn when the alarm rang in from box 13 and a chorus of voices cackled: "Bad luck! Bad luck!"

"They do tell," remarked an old side-wheel rooster that joined the ranks of the indignant old hens as they left the common, "that this man George Brown grabs on to everything that isn't licensed. I have a scheme. Let's all foregather in one large coop, and hang out a no-license sign. While the sign is being hung out I will step 'round the corner and get a quart of whiskey. We'll put the whiskey in plain view of passersby and lock the coop securely. Brown can't get in to get the whiskey, but rather than suffer defeat, he will take us all to the police station——"

"Hold there," said Mr. Redcomb, seconded by Miss Fluffybreast, "such action would but add insult to injury. You would establish a police record, would you?"

"Only that by so doing," humbly replied the old side-wheeler, "we might be convicted of illegal keeping and sent to the stone house on the hill instead of to the country."

A committee of five was appointed to consider the advisability of side-wheel's scheme with instructions to report at the indignation meeting to be held this afternoon.

ADAMS IS CUTE.

One pretty little pullet with a well moulded and beautifully curved beak stepped shyly to the front, after the committee had been instructed to report, and, after wiping her feet on the rubber mat she dashed a tear from her eye and spoke thusly: "I-er-er have a friend whose name is Cecil I. Adams. He's just the cutest little thing that ever happened and he's head and ears in politics. He has made lots of laws at city hall and I think if I should waft upon him, in person, I could persuade the dear boy to frame a law that would fit our case. It someway seems to me that we will not have to go to the country. I'm sure Cecil will not let me go."

Mr. Redcomb heard this little speech with ill-concealed dissatisfaction. "We will have nothing to do with Mr. Adams. He's a pooh-pooh politician and he hasn't influence enough to have the smallest hencoop in Lowell turned end for end."

The pretty little pullet heard Redcomb's hot words with tears in her wild eyes. "I'll still be true to Cecil," she said, as she sauntered down the lane toward Moses' house.

"Appeal to Mayor Howe!" said an old hen whose eyebrows had turned to blisters, "he's ancient and honorable."

Suggestion upon suggestion was made but with the exception of appointing a committee to report on old sidewheel's motion, no definite action was taken.

Tears and shakes were exchanged and the city birds, when the bright September sun was sinking to rest in the glowing horizon, returned to their coops and imparted the news of the meeting to their tender broods. It was a sad day for the city hens and the man who depends upon the crow of the rooster while others await the signal of an alarm clock, will undoubtedly look upon Judge Hadley's ruling with disfavor.

SEEN AND HEARD

A stranger called at a local bank the other day and presented a check for which he wanted the equivalent in cash.

"Have to be identified," said the clerk.

The stranger took a bunch of letters from his pocket all addressed to the same name as that on the check.

The clerk shook his head.

The stranger took out his pocket-handkerchief and showed the same name in indelible ink.

Clerk looked bored.

The man thought a moment and pulled out his watch which bore his name on the inside cover.

Clerk hardly glanced at it.

The man dug into his pockets and found one of those "If-I-should-die-tonight-please-notify-my-wife" cards and called the clerk's attention to the description, which fitted to a T.

But the clerk was still obdurate.

"Those things don't prove anything," he said, "we've got to have the word of a man that we know."

"But, good heavens, man, I've given you an identification that would convict me of murder in any court in the land!"

"That's probably very true," responded the clerk patiently, "but in matters connected with the bank we have to be more careful."

There were four or five men at the street corner discussing the financial question, when a poorly dressed woman halted before them and, singling out a particular man who had been especially vociferous in the advocacy of his pet views, she said:

"I am a poor but respectable and hard-working woman. Could you let me have money to buy a pair of shoes with?"

"Do you really need 'em?" he inquired, in turn.

"Very badly, sir; and I shall never forget your kindness if you aid me."

"Well, here it is," he said.

"Thanks, kind sir, and may heaven bless you."

When she had gone away one of the group said:

"She was mighty cheeky."

"Brassiest thing I've seen in a year."

"Do you know her, Bill?" inquired a third of the man who had opened his purse.

"Y-e-s; more or less. We've been married about twenty five years, and when I don't give her cash she takes this way of faking me. I rather like it. I get the credit of being very charitable and she gets the cash."

$2.00 TO NORTH ADAMS

In the Hoosac Mountains, Saturday, October 10th.

Already the autumn foliage has commenced to appear and the fresh atmosphere of October makes one long for another short respite from work. This is the season of the year when the mountains are more beautiful than ever, and the Hoosac Mountains in western Massachusetts are a grand sight at just this season. The weather is suitable for tramping through the mountains exploring the Deerfield valley or taking a trolley to many interesting places nearby.

The Boston & Maine excursion to North Adams on Saturday, Oct. 10th, gives the excursionists an opportunity to take in all the beauties of an Indian summer in the Hoosac Mountains and to enjoy the health giving tramp or ride through this noted region.

The round trip rate from Boston is only $2.00. Any person desiring can, upon showing their excursion ticket and payment of fifty cents at the Hoosac Tunnel station, procure a round trip ticket to Wilmington, Vt., on the narrow gauge railroad, "the Hoosac Tunnel and Wilmington."

A first-class dinner can be procured at the "Child's Tavern," Wilmington, and the ride is through the prettiest portion of upper "Deerfield Valley." Tickets are on sale at city ticket office, 322 Washington street, and the Union station. Special train will leave Boston at 8.20 a. m., for Hoosac Tunnel and North Adams; returning, leave North Adams at 4.30 p. m. Train will stop at Waltham in both directions, but tickets will be on sale only at Boston. Tickets are also good returning on regular trains on October 11th and 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Lewis gave a reception last evening at their home, No. 77 South Loving street, in honor of the marriage of Edith Loveby Corey of Worcester to their son, Irving Chester Lewis of Arlington.

FUNERALS

BROOKS—The remains of Charles Brooks, formerly of this city, reached here from Worcester yesterday and were interred in the family lot in the Edson cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker C. M. Young.

GORMLEY—All that was mortal of the late Patrick Gormley was laid to rest yesterday afternoon in the sacred burial lot in the Catholic cemetery, the funeral cortege, going from the home of his daughter, Mrs. John J. Mahoney, 32 Bowers street, and was largely attended by sorrowing friends and relatives. There was a profusion of floral offerings. The following close friends acted as bearers: Michael J. Mahoney, Humphrey O'Sullivan, Simon Flynn and John Saunders. At the grave Rev. Timothy P. Callahan of St. Patrick's church read the committal prayers. The interment was under the direction of Undertaker O'Donnell & Sons.

IF NOT ENGAGED.

Don't forget the social by the Norfolk club at Huntington hall, Tuesday evening. Kittredge's singing orchestra will furnish the music. The concert alone will be worth the price of admission. Tickets 25 cents.

RUGS

In the new fall designs of carpet sizes are many reproductions of foreign rugs.

The Axminster and Wilton fabrics especially bring out the rich, beautiful colorings seen in the Oriental rug. The carpet size of Brussels, Wilton and Axminster rugs are priced from

$18 to $35

Adams & Co.,

Furniture and Carpets.

174 CENTRAL ST.

Appleton Bank Block.

THE Merrimack CLOTHING COMPANY

Fine Clothes for Men

There's been a marked improvement in Merrimack Clothes this season.

Each season naturally shows some improvement in making—but this advance this season is of a marked character—and deserves special mention.

Greater Creative Genius in style designing. More careful and expert tailoring than thus far known are responsible for this great advance in the high grade ready made Clothes of the Merrimack.

The bettering of our finest grades means the bettering of the medium and lower prices—the Standard of value is the same here whether you pay $10, or $25 for a suit—you get the utmost that the money will buy.

When you consider the very high character of Merrimack Clothes, always improving—the fair prices asked, and the splendid store service, do you wonder that thinking men and the stylish dressers wear the Merrimack hanger on their coat collars?

No better time than this week to point out the improvements in Merrimack Clothing—there's good choosing now.

Fall Suits

Hand Tailored

More good suits sold last Saturday than on any previous Saturday at this time of year.

Same story all this week—the weather is perfect for autumn, and prompts buying the new garments.

Of course, the stock has had something to do with it—we've never shown so many worthy suits—such a well assorted stock nor so well-tailored garments as this season.

Ten dollars secures a good suit choice—it's the lowest point we touch, and means all wool or wool and worsted fabrics, good making and trimming—honest suits.

Black Thibets, Worsted Cheviots, and a number of styles of fancy mixtures to choose from.

A good choice of fancies at $12.00. Worsteds, Cassimeres and Worsted Cheviots, including Shuman's dependable make.

This store is identified with $15.00 suits for men—that is, the best $15.00 suits—the hand finished garments.

More and better styles this season than ever—in Black Thibets, Worsted Cheviots and twenty styles of fancies—in singles and double breasted sacks.

The line at $18, $20, $22, $23, $25 and $28 reflect careful selection, and the finest "jour" tailoring—it's the slickest clothing, all things considered, ever seen in this store, or any other store.

Fall Top Coats

Ready For Your Wearing

It's splendid top coat weather. The man who thinks he can bluff it through until winter overcoat time, is taking chances with his health.

Top coat styles are same now as next spring; you'll get nothing by waiting; they'll be no cheaper; the tendency is upward.

There's no better time to buy a top coat than now—and no better place than here.

$10 buys a good top coat of double-and-twist covert cloth, in a grayish coloring, excellently tailored.

Shuman and "Eff-Eff" Top Coats at $15—serviceable covert cloth and black Thibet.

A new Top Coat at $12 comes in an olive shade of covert, and is cut 31 inches long and very boxy.

Elegant Top Coats at $20—in covert cloths and velvety Venetians, hand tailored, including the silk lined coats that were $25.

Fall Overcoats, in black and oxfords, plain or silk lined, 40 inches long, at $10 to $23.

Rain Coats, 52 inches long, in Oxford cheviots, Black worsted cheviots, covert cloths and mixtures, $10 to $20.

Fall Hats

A leading metropolitan daily recently came out with a two-column editorial advising men to wear soft hats.

They argued that the soft hat set more easily and loosely on the head, allowing the blood to circulate freely through the veins of the scalp, the lack of which circulation, from wearing tight-fitting and hard hats, caused baldness.

The man who reads the article is pretty apt to try a soft hat for a change—especially if he finds his hair thinning on top.

No better time to try than now. The soft hat is particularly desirable for early fall wear.

Then, there are so many widely different shapes this season—the extremely broad brim or the close roll, very high or flattish crowns. There are shapes to suit every style and character of man.

The Vevey and Reliable are two very fine hats, one a small shape, the other a wide brimmed, full crowned style. They're examples of very fine hat making. Price $3.00.

A couple of excellent shapes at $2.50, on the golf order; low crowns, flat brims, bound or raw edge.

A dozen styles at $2.00. Excellent shapes, in black and the new shades of cinnamon, nutria and azure.

The New Shirts

Two clever styles in fancy shirts came in this week. They're of the coat shirt variety. You put them on like your coat; a great advantage with stiff bosoms.

One has bosom and cuffs of fine quality imported madras, in cadet blue, with large polka dots woven in. The dots are in black, white and orange. The body of the shirt matches the shade of the bosom and cuffs, but is in plain color.

It's from our best shirt makers, and as pretty a style as we've ever shown. Price $3.

Another coat shirt is made of fine quality percales, with neat figures and stripes on grayish and bluish grounds, and is priced at $1.50.

The regular lines of fancy bosom shirts for fall are all here, including some new and effective designs in fine percales. $1.00 and $1.50.

Men's and Boys' Sweaters

First showing of the fall sweaters, in the corner window.

Quite an active demand the past week. It's none too early to choose well.

Looks like another gray season. We couldn't get enough grays last year. We provided liberally this season—with sweaters and wescuts—for men and boys.

$2.00 buys a fine worsted sweater of good weight, in gray, blue, black, garnet and white.

$2.50 gets a little heavier sweater of fine worsted yarns—an excellent number.

The Sterling wescuts and sweaters cost $3.00, same price as last year, though they cost more. Boys' sizes for $2.50.

Heavy worsted, Shaker knit sweaters, in white and gray, at $4.00, $5.00 and $6.00.

A couple of fancy styles in French and block knitting, cost $4.00 and $5.00 each.

A splendid sweater for boys, a fine worsted, at $1.50.

Merrimack Clothing Company...

ACROSS FROM CITY HALL

COLLINS' BRAVES

Lost the First Game to the Pirates

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 2.—From a Boston standpoint the unexpected happened most decidedly in the opening game for the baseball supremacy of the United States between the champions of the National league and the American league pennant winners—the Pittsburgs and the Bostons—on the Huntington avenue grounds yesterday afternoon.

With the veteran and dependable "Cy" Young in the box, the pitcher who has twirled better ball than any pitcher the past three seasons, the adherents of the local team felt that victory would perch on their banner and backed this opinion most substantially, but the cards fell badly and the visitors gained a decided first inning victory. Young did not prove anything like the enigma that was expected, and the Pittsburg boys batted him with confidence and effect. Four runs were scored in the first inning, and this lead proved enough to win the game, for Boston could not equal this score during the matinee.

Opposed to the veteran Young was "Deacon" Phillippe, who pitched a magnificent game of ball and completely fooled the strong Boston batsmen. He struck out 10 of the locals' men, "Bucky" Freeman being the only one to escape this ignominy. He had everything in the category of the pitcher and his curves, slows and drops were completely baffling to the locals, Dougherty, the slugger of the Bostons, was completely at sea. Manager Collins was not seen at his best, and Lachance and Ferris were almost as puppets in the hands of the National league pitcher.

The locals seemed on edge, and did not play with that coolness and confidence to be expected in a series of this kind. In fact, the Pittsburgs could not have played with more confidence if they were playing on their own grounds.

Ferris and Criger were completely off key. Ferris missed a couple of grounders at critical stages, and Criger made a poor throw and missed a third strike, offences of which he has been rarely guilty in contests for the American league pennant.

After he had missed two chances in four innings, Ferris settled down and gave a glimpse of the kind of play that helped to make the Bostons pennant winners, but by that time the day was lost. The lead of four runs in the first inning was altogether too much to be overcome, and, while at one time it looked as if the locals would do well to score a run, they managed to make as many runs as did their opponents.

Boston was beaten, but that does not augur that the locals have not as good a chance as the National league champions for the series. There is no reason in the world why the locals should not show the speed of which they are capable in the game of today. They have shown again and again the speed of which they are capable, and, while Pittsburg showed magnificent speed yesterday the Boston club has played as good a game again and again.

Pittsburg excelled decidedly in the outfield and nothing could have been finer than the display Manager Clarke gave. He cut off chances for several runs by his superb running catches. Beaumont also distinguished himself by a great capture. Sebring did well in right, Ritchey at second and Bransfield at first. The score:

PITTSBURG.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Beaumont cf	5	1	0	3	0	0
Clarke lf	5	0	2	4	0	0
Leach 3b	5	1	4	0	1	1
Wagner ss	3	1	1	1	2	1
Bransfield 1b	5	2	1	7	0	0
Ritchey 2b	4	1	0	1	2	0
Sebring rf	5	1	2	1	0	0
Phelps c	4	0	1	10	0	0
Philippe p	4	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	40	7	12	27	7	2

BOSTON.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Dougherty lf	4	0	0	1	1	0
Collins 3b	4	0	0	2	3	0
Stahl cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Freeman rf	4	2	2	2	0	0
Parent ss	4	1	2	4	4	0
Lachance 1b	4	0	0	8	0	0
Ferris 2b	3	0	1	2	4	2
Criger c	3	0	0	6	1	2
Young p	3	0	0	0	1	0
*Crigler	1	0	0	0	0	0
**Farrell	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	3	6	27	14	4

*Batted for Criger in the ninth.
**Batted for Young in the ninth.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Pittsburg	4	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0—7
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1—3

Earned runs, Boston 2, Pittsburg 3. Three base hits, Freeman, Parent Leach 2, Bransfield. Home run, Sebring. Stolen bases, Wagner, Bransfield, Ritchey. First base on balls, off Young 3. Struck out, by Young 5, by Phillippe 10. Passed ball, Criger. Time, 1.55. Umpires, O'Day and Connolly. Attendance, 16,242.

Confessions of a Priest.

Rev. Jno. S. Cox of Wake, Ark., writes, "For 12 years I suffered from Yellow Jaundice. I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters and feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for 12 years." If you want a reliable medicine for Liver and Kidney trouble, stomach disorder or general debility, get Electric Bitters. It's guaranteed by P. C. Goodale, druggist. Only 50c.

MASON DEAD

WAS PROMINENT CITIZEN OF WEYMOUTH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WEYMOUTH, Mass., Oct. 2.—Frank H. Mason, one of the most prominent and widely known citizens of this city, died here yesterday after a short illness, aged 53 years. Mr. Mason was for many years treasurer of the Boyd-Corey shoe company of Marlboro, and also of the Marlboro Water company. At the time of his death he was chairman of the board of water commissioners of Weymouth and secretary and treasurer of the board of trustees of the Tufts public library.

WHOLESALE RAIDS

MADE ON BIDDEFORD DRUG STORES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BIDDEFORD, Me., Oct. 2.—Sheriff Fogg of Sanford and a force of seven deputies made wholesale raids among the drug stores yesterday. Within half an hour heavy seizures had been made at nine places.

CONSERVATIVES MEET

IN 38TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE AT SHEFFIELD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SHEFFIELD, Eng., Oct. 2—The 38th annual conference of the conservative associations opened here yesterday with unprecedented attendance, attracted by unusually interesting political situation. Nearly 2,000 delegates were present. The Earl of Derby presided in the absence of the Duke of Norfolk, who was indisposed.

In moving the adoption of the annual report, Mr. Low, M.P., chairman of the committee, deprecated the conference, expressing a decided opinion on the tariff question in behalf of the party until Joseph Chamberlain had fully explained his views.

Cheers greeted Mr. Chamberlain's name and the interruptions of Mr. Low's remarks soon made it manifest that there were grave differences of opinion on the fiscal question.

An official resolution on the subject of the fiscal controversy was moved by Sir John E. Dorington, M. P. The resolution, which deals solely with Premier Balfour's proposals, not touching on Mr. Chamberlain's was as follows:

"That this conference, believing that the changes which have taken place during the last fifty years in the conditions under which British trade has been carried on necessitate a reconsideration of the fiscal system, which we, as a nation, have adopted during that period, thanks the prime minister for having instituted an inquiry into the whole subject and welcomes the policy he has foreshadowed for securing to this country fiscal freedom in our negotiations and commercial relations with foreign countries."

It was agreed that no vote should be taken on the resolution until today, after Mr. Balfour's speech last night defining the attitude of the government.

MANY FINES

HAVE AROUSED RESIDENTS OF BELFAST, MAINE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BELFAST, Maine, Oct. 2.—Residents of North Belfast are panic-stricken because of several fires of apparent incendiary origin. The residences of Mrs. Oliver Chase and Mrs. Frank Emmons were burned during the night. The buildings were next the store and house of Postmaster Mitchell, which were burned early Tuesday morning. Mr. Mitchell was taken with varioloid Saturday and it was feared the disease would spread from his store or the post office.

SOCIAL DANCE

GIVEN BY NORTH CHELMSFORD BRASS BAND.

The North Chelmsford brass band opened the social season in North Chelmsford in a delightful way last night, by holding their social dance in the town hall. This is an event in which the members of the band and their friends look forward to each year for the dance under the auspices of the band is always a delightful event and last night's affair was the best of its kind ever held by the band.

The band orchestra played for the dancing, and the happy dancers spent a pleasant evening. Dancing was enjoyed until 12 o'clock. The committee in charge were chairman, Perlie Constantino; secretary, Fred Gaudette; treasurer, Arthur Slater; floor director, Jas. H. McCoy, jr.; assistant, Robert Scribner; aids, David P. McNally, Edward Perry, Earl Fowler, James Heedam.

CONVENTION DATES

TO MAKE REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS FOR STATE TICKET.

The following are the dates of the conventions:

Oct. 1—Republican county convention in Huntington hall, Lowell, at 10.30 a. m.

Oct. 2—Republican state convention in Tremont Temple, Boston at 10.30 a. m.

Oct. 3—27th. Dist. Republican Representative convention in Republican headquarters, Lowell at 1.30 p. m.

Oct. 5 25th Dist. Republican Representative convention in republican headquarters, Lowell, at 8 p. m.

Oct. 6—6th. Dist. republican councillor convention in Huntington Hall, Lowell at 11 a. m.

Oct. 7—7th Dist. republican senatorial convention in republican headquarters, Lowell at 8 p. m.

Representative Luce who drafted and was instrumental in securing the adoption of the so-called Luce bill, which provides for joint caucuses and which will be voted on at the state election, will speak in Jackson hall on Tuesday, Oct. 6, at 8 p. m., explaining the bill.

This will be an excellent opportunity for all voters, irrespective of party, to get information about the bill. Mr. Luce will also be ready to answer questions regarding the workings of the new law.

Layers of Eggs during fall and winter, pay big profits. To make layers, give the hens daily

Sheridan's CONDITION Powder

It helps the older hens, makes pullets early layers, prevents sickness and is always safe and sure. In use over 30 years.

If you can't get it, we send, prepaid, one pack, 25c; five $1. A 2 lb. can $1.20; six, $5. Sample of best poultry paper free.

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100 and 103 Middlesex Street

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30 PINE STREET

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Ottoman Waistings, Mercerized Cheviots, Mercerized Sea Island Waistings and Suitings, Madras Shirtings and Ginghams, Silks, Sateens, Outing Flannels and American Prints, etc., over 5000 yards in pound bundles.

Shirt Waist Patterns given free to our customers for next 30 days. Come and see how we do it.

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Ask your druggist for it. If he cannot supply the MARVEL, accept no other, but send stamp for illustrated book sealed, it gives full particulars and directions invaluable to ladies. MARVEL CO., Times Building, New York.

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New, 11,250 tons, 600 feet long, fitted with Marconi's wireless system. Rooms upper decks midship. Perfect ventilation.

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Ivernia sails Oct. 3, Nov. 7, Dec. 8.
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A Cunarder from New York every Saturday.

Discount allowed on combined outward and return first and second cabin fares.

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Fast Twin-Screw Service

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1st class, $50 upwards; 2d class, $42.50; 3d class at low rates.

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Nearly Two Acres of Floor Space

Is now used to carry our vast stocks. This mammoth establishment could not be maintained without the support and confidence of our large number of regular customers and by making new customers each season and to accomplish this we sell up-to-date, reliable, honest made goods, at reasonable prices.

The Fashion Show

FOR FALL 1903

IN FULL SWING AT OUR STORE TODAY AND TOMORROW

The new styles fill our store and beam upon you from every department. An exposition of attire surpassing in beauty and correctness anything ever shown in a Lowell store.

We are thoroughly prepared to cater to and meet the demands of all kinds of trade and still keep Prices Below the Average.

No New Fad

That promised popularity was overlooked by our buyers who have stocked us with the latest novelties in all the leading lines.

A more fascinating collection of autumn beauties is not to be found.

In Cloak, Suit, Fur and Waist Dept.

We handle only garments that are "Right" in all the word implies.

Here you find not only "Just the Thing" but you have so many styles to select from you are better pleased with your final choice.

Hand tailored garments made by high class workmen are what we are offering at prices no higher than you will be obliged to pay for trashy stuff elsewhere.

We don't want to appear egotistical, but we do claim that a lady is always sure of the

Largest Assortment, Newest Ideas and Latest Designs in This Dept.

Ladies' Tailor Made Dresses $10 to $75 each

Covert, Zibeline, Kersey, Peau de Soie and Velour Coats $7.50 to $75 garment

Rain Coats in a wide range of fabrics, $10 to $30 each

Walking and Dress Skirts, $3.98 to $20 each

Waists, in silk, cotton or wool, 50c. to $15 each

In the Baby's Corner

This Dept. is Our Hobby

Located on the second floor, reached by an easy to climb short flight of stairs, heavily stocked with everything for Misses and Children to wear, it is indeed an inviting and entrancing place today for mothers.

Here she finds so many exquisite creations, neat, plain or elaborate, fashioned by the most skilful designers in this country and Europe and all at prices so reasonable as to cause her to wonder how it can be done.

We look for a big attendance of Mothers Today and Tomorrow.

New Designs in Shell Goods

Every lady requires from 3 to 6 pieces of Shell Goods to properly dress her hair. Several new designs in barettes. Side and back combs get their first showing today.

The Reform Comb, indispensable to an effective coiffure, hygenic, handy and novel, does away with wool or hair pads, price 10c each

Ladies' Kid Gloves

A perfectly equipped Glove Dept. where you will find all the standard makes fully represented. An expert fitter constantly in attendance to give our patrons the most careful attention. A prominent feature at present the selling of

Mannish Kid Gloves,

$1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 a Pair

Here also you may find the popular brands. Fownes, Clementina and System Jay, in shades of Red, Brown, Tan, Mode and Black.

New Jewelry

We are right after this Dept., determined to keep it in the front rank by constantly showing novelties and exceptional values. Several new things in Belt Sets, Brooches, and Collar Pins will be displayed today and tomorrow and we wish to attract attention particularly to our offerings at

25c., 50c. and 98c. Each

Laces and Dress Trimmings

We take especial pride in this Dept. and carry a larger stock and more styles than any store in town. Here, too, prices save you money.

Beautiful Persian Bands and Appliques, in desirable colors and attractive patterns, varying in width from 1-2 to 4 inches. Prices from

25c. to $4.00 per yard

Plain and Fancy Wood Silk Braids, in black or white, in a good assortment of widths and patterns. Prices ranging from

8c. to $3.00 per yard

Fringes and Drop Trimmings are particularly desirable this season and our showing is superb. Drop Ornaments,

8c. to $2.00

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To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
5.43	6.35	6.00	7.07
6.22	7.02	6.30	7.26
e6.30	7.31	7.24	8.54
6.43	7.35	8.25	9.01
6.51	7.02	e9.00	9.56
e6.54	8.10	9.20	10.07
7.21	8.30	e10.00	10.37
7.45	8.35	10.17	11.24
8.21	9.40	e11.30	12.07
9.43	10.40	12.00	12.56
11.03	12.21	e1.00	1.28
e11.48	12.37	1.15	1.52
e12.14	1.05	2.00	2.01
1.40	2.30	e3.00	3.38
e4.15	2.34	3.47	5.03
5.03	4.09	4.14	5.30
e5.07	4.30	e5.00	5.37
5.02	4.45	5.38	6.28
5.25	5.36	5.47	6.54
e5.22	6.15	6.14	7.07
5.44	7.10	e7.30	8.08
e6.22	7.05	e8.30	9.08
e7.10	8.00	10.30	11.34
8.43	9.35	11.20	12.23

SUNDAY TRAINS

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
e7.39	7.33	9.00	10.07
7.24	8.10	9.00	1.57
8.45	9.49	5.00	5.58
8.20	10.12	e7.30	8.08
e8.25	8.30	e8.30	9.08
e9.38	7.03	9.00	10.02

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6.50	8.00	7.30	8.34
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.31
9.25	10.39	10.45	11.41
10.50	12.02	11.50	1.08
12.05	1.32	2.15	3.10
12.47	1.57	3.35	4.55
2.20	3.44	4.25	5.45
3.10	4.10	4.50	e7.20
3.55	5.04	6.04	7.05
5.05	6.43	6.35	7.48
6.15	7.15	8.30	10.40
7.00	8.06	11.15	12.30
8.25	10.30		

SUNDAY TRAINS

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
8.15	9.27	8.00	9.17
12.05	1.20	12.00	1.02
4.05	5.18	5.00	6.25
5.30	6.55	8.00	9.40
8.45	9.45		

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LOCAL NEWS

Printer—F. A. M. Tobin's Printery.

Finest Wedding Hacks at O'Donnell's stables, 84 Jefferson street. Tel. 439-4.

The Babbitt Optical Co., formerly at 25 Dutton street, now permanently located at Bon Marche Building, Suite 19. Take the elevator.

The fall opening of millinery at the Temple of Design, 14 Merrimack square, will take place today and tomorrow.

Miss Blennerhassel wishes to inform the public that her millinery opening will take place Monday, Oct. 5th. Central Block, room 44-45.

We all suffered from the coal famine. If the people were only wise enough to have had the Goodwin weather strip on their outside doors much of this suffering could have been avoided. They are the greatest coal savers ever invented. Do not fail to try them and you will thank us for the suggestion. 17 Thorndike street is where you place your order.

Don't forget the Burkes', with Flanagan's Orchestra, tonight, at Huntington hall.

CHANGE OF TIME.

Beginning Monday, October 5, 1903, the cars on the Moody street line will leave as follows:—

Merrimack square for Moody street, 5.30 a. m., 6.15 a. m. and 15 and 45 minutes after each hour until 11.15 p. m.

Returning leave the Lowell-Dracut line, 6.00 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 11.30 p. m.

ST. PETER'S CATHOLIC CEMETERY.

Being Handsomely Embellished by Workmen at the Present Time.

It is my ambition to make this the handsomest cemetery in Lowell. It is strictly a Catholic cemetery, no none but Catholics will be allowed to purchase lots to bury their dead in this cemetery.

Lots are sold at from $5 to $25, 50 per cent. less than prices asked for lots in other cemeteries. These lots will be sold on easy terms of payment, so that whatever your present financial condition, you can make such arrangements as will make it easy for you, with no worry or trouble about the payment.

John J. Gray, Donovan building, or office at St. Peter's cemetery. Telephone 578-4.

DEAR NEIGHBORS

Make Concerted Kick Against Keeping Hens

The report of the proceedings in the trial of the celebrated "hen case," in police court, yesterday had hardly appeared in the papers when the mail of the health department began to swell with complaints from outraged neighbors against people who keep hens, pigeons, rabbits and other allied nuisances.

So numerous are the complaints that the health department individually will take steps soon in the matter. It seems there have been so many complaints made but none of them because here is that a man was fined $50 in police court for maintaining a nuisance by keeping hens, the complaints began to come in batches.

Wilfred Kershaw
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McCLELLAN NAMED

Democratic Candidate for Mayor in New York

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2—Scenes without parallel in the history of city conventions were enacted last night in and around Carnegie hall, where the democratic convention for the nomination of a city ticket was held. Both within the building and out the people were jammed to pulpit, aisles were crushed, and women fainted on all sides. Extra police forces were called out, but as the crowd continued to grow in density it was found just as impossible as before to keep the people under control.

The first signs of enthusiasm in the house were when Leader Charles F. Murphy of Tammany marched down the centre aisle and took a seat about eight rows from the stage. Congressman Goldfogel walked just behind him. The crowd cheered. Lewis Nixon and Bird S. Coler sat in boxes interested but almost unnoticed spectators. T. C. T. Crain was elected chairman of the convention. Mr. Crain in a lengthy speech characterized the Citizens' Union as "A coterie of aldermen." He Greater New York democracy as "A small office-seeking clique," and other opposing forces as "Vestpocket organizations created to advertise public individuals."

"This is a political campaign," he said, "because the result will have bearing on the state and national campaign."

When the committee on resolutions retired for deliberations, John L. Shea of Brooklyn headed in a petition protesting against the placing on the democratic ticket of the names of two men, "who are improperly called democrats and whose names appear on the fusion ticket."

On the return of the committee the platform was read. It was received with comparative indifference; only three or four times was there any pronounced applause and references reflecting on President Roosevelt passed without cheers.

The platform set forth that democrats and republicans everywhere will await the results of the coming election with an interest only second to that taken in a national political contest.

Among other things the platform says: "We believe in such municipal ownership of public utilities as the financial condition of the city shall permit it to assume."

The committee on resolutions ignored the protest of the delegation from Brooklyn presented by Mr. Shea. John J. Delaney then was escorted to the rostrum to nominate George L. McClellan for mayor. "There is no hope for the democrats to carry the United States," said Mr. Delaney, "until we carry the state of New York, and we cannot carry the state of New York unless we carry the city of New York. We must nominate here a man of patriotic blood, a man who has never boasted of his ancestors, but has stood upon the ground, a man himself. I present to you for your consideration as your candidate for mayor, George B. McClellan."

The delegates from all the boroughs with the exception of Brooklyn, stood up and cheered enthusiastically. The Brooklyn men remained in their seats.

Mr. Delaney continued his praise of the candidate to whom he attributed all the virtues of his gallant father and a number of others. The nomination was seconded by Col. Franklin Bartlett and Congressman Joseph A. Goldfogle.

Martin W. Littleton, of Brooklyn, then nominated William J. Gaynor. The Brooklyn delegates rose en masse and cheered and waved their hats. Senator McCarron seconded the nomination.

On the roll call by assembly districts Manhattan, the Bronx, Queens and Richmond were unanimous for McClellan. The only break in the solidity of the vote of Brooklyn for William J. Gaynor was in the 11th district, the leader announcing "nine votes for Wm. J. Gaynor, one vote for George B. McClellan."

Mr. McClellan therefore received the nomination by 434 votes to 219 for Justice Gaynor.

FORNES NOMINATED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Charles D. Fornes was placed in nomination for president of the board of aldermen by Justice Roesch. Herman A. Metz was placed in nomination by George K. Powell of Brooklyn. Fornes was declared the nominee of the convention.

Edwin M. Grout was named for comptroller.

CONFERENCE HELD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 2—Linn Bruce, chairman of the republican county committee, Timothy L. Woodruff and Edward Lauterbach, had a long conference last night at the Loftus club, at which the present political situation as it affects the Fusion ticket was thoroughly canvassed.

It was decided that if the citizens union city committee decided to remove Messrs. Grout and Fornes from their ticket, then Mr. Woodruff as chairman of the republican city convention will issue a call for the re-convening of the republican city convention on Tuesday night next.

The conferees also discussed the names of the men to be substituted for Messrs. Grout and Fornes. Four were spoken of for the office of comptroller, all independent democrats. They were J. Edward Swanstrom, R. Fulton Cutting, Julian D. Fairchild and Joseph C. Hendrix. For the office of president of the board of aldermen, but one name was spoken of, Herman A. Metz of Brooklyn.

POOR OVERSEERS

WILL MEET AT CITY HALL TONIGHT.

The overseers of the poor will meet this evening at city hall to approve monthly bills.

YELLOW FEVER

CONDITIONS NOT SO FAVORABLE AS HOPED FOR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LAREDO, Texas, Oct. 2—Developments in the yellow fever situation show conditions not so favorable as had been hoped for. The official report given out last night, shows:

"New cases, 6; suspicious cases, 2; cases previously reported, 39; total cases to date, 45. Total deaths, 3."

There were two deaths from the fever at Nuevo Laredo today. United States Vice-consul J. F. Kibmall, is still ill.

FINGERS LACERATED

WILLIAM GOULD INJURED AT THOMPSON'S BOX SHOP.

William Gould, employed at Thompson's box shop in Lawrence street, met with a painful accident while at work at that place this morning. He was running a circular saw when he got the third and fourth fingers of his left hand lacerated. He was taken to the Emergency hospital where it was found necessary to amputate the injured members at the first joint.

LUMBER PLANT BURNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 2—The plant of the People's Lumber company, with the exception of the office, at Monessen, has been destroyed by fire. Loss $50,000, with insurance of $13,000.

SPECIAL AT KEYES' AUCTION

SATURDAY AT 11 O'CLOCK

Brown horse, 9 years old, warranted sound and kind, absolutely fearless and a perfect family horse; can step a mile in 2.30 and will show that clip at sale.

Also a Pneumatic Road Wagon in excellent shape; custom-made Hill harness, blankets, robes, etc. This team is the property of a well-known gentleman who is going away for the winter. If you want a first-class turnout, be sure and attend this sale.

F. G. McGREGOR - Auctioneer

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FOR THE BEST OF REASONS

On Saturday, Oct. 3, 1903, at 3 P. M.

I shall sell at auction one of the best paying pieces of property in the city, situated on the upper end of Cheever street in "Little Canada." The property consists of one 9-tenement block on leased land on which the building can remain as long as purchaser desires. The property will let for $75 per month.

TERMS: The purchaser must deposit with or secure to the auctioneer $300 just as soon as the property is struck off. The balance of the purchase money to be paid within thirty days.

All inquiries to be made at the office of the auctioneer.

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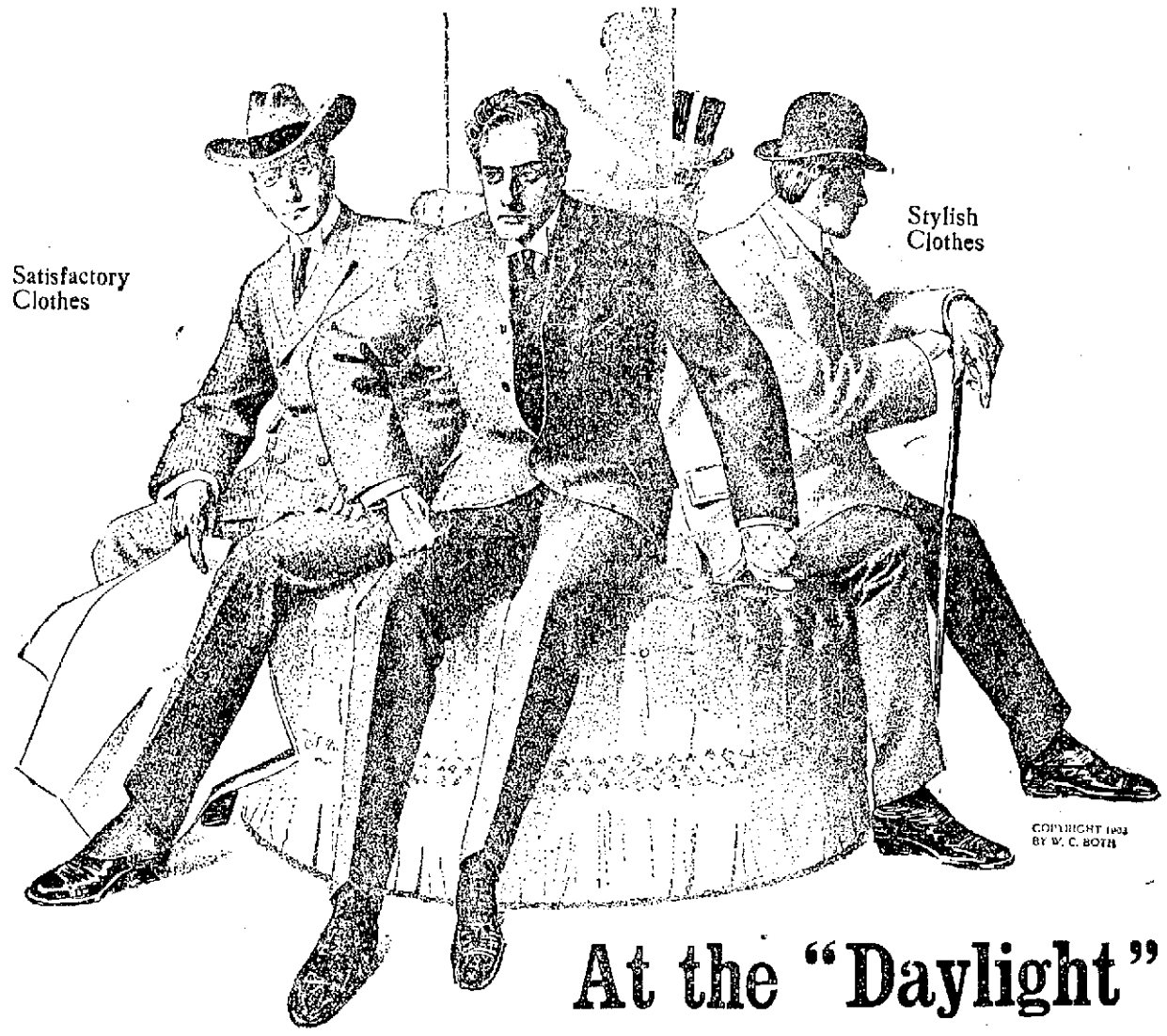

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If you are a man who is interested in "good clothes" it will be a real treat for you to look over the line of Suits and Overcoats we are showing from "Hart, Schaffner & Marx" and our "Boston Workrooms." They are models of the tailor's art, just as right as right can be, and they cost no more than the ordinary kind. September was a great suit month. Many of the nobbiest lines are already broken in sizes. It's good judgment to buy now, you have a better selection than later on—our time is yours whenever you are ready.

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